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To Tour Europe With Beauticians

MRS. MARIE COOPER

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Cooper have accepted an invitation to join a select group of outstanding hair stylists and beauticians to tour Europe this spring.

To be chosen as one of the hair stylists to make this tour is one of several honors to be won by Mrs Cooper in the past. She was presented a plaque in open competition at the International Show in New York several months ago, and has received high rankings in Texas, New Mexico, and Florida shows. She has been an operator and owner of shops in Canyon for several years.

Under the guidance of Bernord az Guro, prominent New York hair stylist, this tour, which will leave New York by air on April 10th, will include meetings with leading hair stylists of seven European countries. The primary purpose of this trip is education and good will, and extensive plans have also been made for fun, local hospitality and sightseeing.

On arrival in Brussels a delegation of three leading professional organizations will meet them at the airport and have arranged a series of meetings and demonstrations as well as visits to major points of interest in this beautiful city.

From Brussels to Paris where the illustrious Rene Rambaud, Fernand Aubry and Andre Estella of Etudio Coiffeur will be their hosts. In Nice, members of the tour will have a few days of leisure on the magnificent French Riviera, including Monte Carlo, Grasse and Cote O'Azur. From Nice the party will travel to Italy . . . Torino, Florence, and thence to Rome.

An intensive program of meetings with leading Italian colleagues in these cities will be climaxed in Rome where they will be feted by the world-famous Circolo Artistico Maestri Aconciatori Rome. From Italy, Mr. Guro says, we will cross into Switzerland, stopping in Geneva, Lucerne, Berne and Zurich where the hosts will be the Swiss Association of Master Hairdressers.

From Zurich they will transfer to Dusseldorf and Cologne. Here the group faces an interesting problem . . . and a most challenging situation. Cologne hairdressers de-cry the shortness of women's hair — "they all look alike!" So here is opportunity to demonstrate American techniques and prove that short hair, properly styled, can be attractive and different.

In the Netherlands the party will be guests of the Syndicat de la Haute Coiffeur Franaise and the Association Internationale des Maitre Coiffeurs des Dames.

While in London, internationally-known hair stylist Roger Fontaine has arranged for the group to visit the House of Lords before taking the plane for home on May 12th.

Governor Shivers To Speak Here

The annual banquet of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society will be held on May 21, according to statement of Boone McClure.

Governor Allan Shivers has accepted the invitation to be present and to address the banquet, which will be held following the annual business session in the afternoon.

Reservations may be made at any time for the banquet, states Mr. McClure. After the 400 members have bought their tickets, reservations will be opened to others who are not members.

Governor Shivers has spoken in Canyon several times during recent years and is a favorite among those who have heard him speak.

RETURN FROM JAPAN

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Hamblen have just arrived from Japan and are visiting in the parental Alfred Hamblen home in Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hamblen, Janette, Ron and Don, of Wayside, visited Friday night with them. Pictures of Japan were viewed by the group.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Don Howard Mitchell to Jane Marie Keen, March 25.

James Lee Rowton to Mary Mae Peppard, March 26.

'Who's Who' For This Year Lists Dr. L. F. Sheffy

Included in the 1954-55 edition of "Who's Who in America" is the name of L. Fields Sheffy. Dr. Sheffy, head of the history department at West Texas State College, is one of the six alumni of Southwestern University to be honored for the first time in the current edition of the publication.

According to information given on page 2422 of "Who's Who," Dr. Sheffy is an educator who assisted in the organization of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society, and is author of a number of historical and biographical books, including collaboration with Ima C. Barlow in the 1954 publication of History of Texas. His articles have appeared in historical publications. He was editor of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Review from 1930 until 1950.

Further biographical information in the publication cites Dr. Sheffy's assistance in building the Panhandle-Plains Museum and his position as professor in West Texas State College since 1918. He is a fellow of the Texas State Historical Association and member of the American Historical Association.

Arthur E. Nealy, educational director of A. N. Marquis Company, publishers of "Who's Who in America," recently wrote Southwestern president W. C. Finch congratulating him on the inclusion of Dr. Sheffy's name in the new edition. According to Nealy Southwestern now ranks first in Texas and 24th in the nation on the basis of percentage of alumni relative to present enrollment of the nation's privately controlled colleges and universities.

"I would like to take this opportunity," Director Nealy wrote, "to congratulate Southwestern on the fact that the alumni we credit to Southwestern represents the highest percentage in the state of Texas. Also, the proportion of new to old names . . . does indicate a healthy condition."

Dr. Sheffy received the Bachelor of Arts degree from Southwestern University in 1911.

'54 Easter Seal Letters Mailed

More than 2500 Easter Seal appeal letters containing sheets of 1954 Easter Seals were mailed to Canyon area citizens as the first step of the 1954 campaign to help crippled children got underway.

Sponsored by the Randall County Society for Crippled Children the 21st annual appeal officially opens March 18 and continues through Easter Sunday, April 18.

Largest portion of funds contributed in the local area will be used for the purchase of wheel chairs, braces, crutches, transportation and other therapeutic equipment, Joe Gibson, campaign chairman, said.

Mailing of the Easter Seal letters was carried out for the Randall County Society for Crippled Children by the Buffalo Gals and Phi Gamma Nu Sorority. The volunteers spent several weeks addressing and stuffing envelopes in preparation of the drive.

Local Dairymen In DHIA News

Randall County Dairy Herd Improvement Association bulletins were released last week for the month of February. A Holstein cow on the Hazlewood farm ranked third in the production of milk and butterfat.

Four local dairymen were represented in the class of ten high cows in the production of milk. Local dairymen with animals in this class are Louis Hinders, Hazlewood Farms, Neil Downing, and Richmond Hales. These same four dairymen have animals represented in the class of ten high cows in butterfat also.

At least three of the local dairymen have stock represented in the other classes listed in the bulletin. These other classes are 60 pounds and over, 50 to 60 pounds, and 40 to 50 pounds.

JUNIPER TO SAN ANTONIO

Dean Walter Juniper will attend the annual meeting of Texas Colleges which will be held in San Antonio Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. O'Bryan of Vancouver, B. C., visited last week with Mrs. W. G. Rose and Kelly. Mr. O'Bryan is Mrs. Rose's brother.

Pansy plants and baskets of pansies at Stevens Floral. t1

Mavis Hill Is Candidate For District Clerk

MRS. MAVIS HARDEN HILL

The News is authorized to announce the candidacy of Mrs. Mavis Harden Hill for the office of District Clerk. Her statement follows:

"I have been requested by friends to become a candidate for District Clerk of Randall County. With a great deal of thought, I have decided to submit my name subject to the Democratic Primary in July.

"I have lived most of my life in Canyon. I went through the public schools here and received my degree from West Texas State College. I am the daughter of W. H. Harden, a pioneer of Randall County, and am married to Forest Hill, son of D. S. Hill, also a pioneer. I have been a sales clerk, taught school, and did clerical work in an airplane factory during World War II.

"I feel qualified to do the work of this office, and if you elect me I promise to serve the people and cooperate with those with whom I work.

"If possible I hope to see all of you before the campaign is over. If not, please consider this a solicitation for your vote. Your vote and word of confidence will certainly be appreciated," stated Mrs. Hill.

Hospital News

Cecil Roark, Wildorado, medical
Sara Jo Hickman, medical
Mrs. Embry Finley, surgical
John M. Davis, medical
Mrs. H. Strauss Atkinson, surgical
Mrs. Viola Hunt, Hereford, ortho.
John Mark Brown, surgical
Miss Minerva Sheffy, medical
Ralph Barclay, traction
Mrs. R. E. Gatten, Jr., surgical
Mrs. F. B. Mullins, Stratford, medical
Mrs. Serena Bryan, Happy, medical
Floyd J. Acker, Wildorado, surgical
Mrs. Mahala Hodges, Happy, medical

Students

Jessie Maejorie Crabb, medical
Jon Ann Thomson, medical

Births

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Maestas, March 24.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack G. Gibson on March 26.

Born March 27, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Janssen of Hereford.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Banks, Adrian, a daughter on March 28.

BLUE FLAME CLUB TO MEET

The Blue Flame Club will hold its April meeting tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock in the home of Mrs. W. O. Nunley. Meetings are held each month. March meeting was held Tuesday, March 9, in the home of Mrs. C. E. Clark.

CHURCH SOLOIST

Miss Jan Christal of Hedley will be soloist at the First Presbyterian Church next Sunday. Her song will be a composition of Charlotte Ingham Word.

Pfc. Roy Foster, who has been stationed at Camp Polk, La., is spending a 30-day leave in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Foster, prior to reporting to a camp in New Jersey for overseas duty.

Mrs. T. V. Reeves spent Friday in Amarillo, working with the senior citizens' committee of the Potter county Mental Health Society. Dr. Per Stensland, of Texas Technological Society, was present as consultant to the committee.

Don Hammons returned to the Evetts Haley Ranch in Sallisaw, Okla., Monday after having spent a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hammons, and his brother, Crosby Hammons.

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2 School Board Members To Be Elected Saturday

School board election will be held Saturday in the City Hall with two of the members of the present board running for re-election. The two members seeking re-election are B. E. McCormick and Newton Crain.

School board members are elected for a three year term with only two or three members going out of office each year to retain members who are familiar with the school program being carried on.

The other five members of the school board are Roy Byrd, Jr., Wilford Taylor, Jr., Walter Graham, W. R. Crow, and Arthur C. Haley, Jr. Terms for Byrd and Taylor are up next year with Graham, Crow, and Haley going off year after next.

Operating the public schools is one of the most important jobs in any community. Board members serve without pay and the one way the public can register appreciation is turning out for a heavy vote. Saturday is the day to show your appreciation to two school board members for their past service and also to give the strong backing for future service with a heavy vote. Vote in the school board election Saturday at the City Hall.

Second Field Trip Planned By Measamer

A second class in field geography, which will tour the eastern portion of the United States and Canada this summer, may be formed if a sufficient number of reservations are received, according to Dr. Murry B. Measamer, professor of geography at West Texas State College.

More than enough students have made reservations for a single bus, which will take 35, Dr. Measamer said. At present 42 reservations have been made, with about 28 more needed to assure the second bus.

First geography tour sponsored at West Texas was last summer, when students toured the western United States and parts of Canada. Many of those same students have made reservations for the second tour.

Six hours' credit for the course may be earned, with the class devoted to study of natural resources, industry, conservation, transportation systems, urban life, and man's adaptation to his surroundings, which are seen enroute. Final examinations are held upon return to the campus.

The class will leave the campus July 9, returning home August 10. Should a second bus be made up, it would follow the first a day behind, joining the first group in Richmond, Va., Washington, D. C., New York City, Boston, and Montreal, Canada.

Transportation and lodging cost for the tour is $245, and students will pay for their own meals, estimated to average about $3.50 a day. College enrollment fees are not included. Students who want to make reservations should send $50 to the WT business office, before May 12. The reservation fee is applied on the $245.

The tour will take students to Memphis, through the Smoky Mountains, to Richmond, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York, Boston, through New Hampshire into Canada to Montreal and Quebec. Niagara Falls will be visited, and on the return trip home, the group will go through Detroit.

C - C Gets 5,000 New Brochures

"I don't know whether 5,000 brochures will be enough or not," said Roland Black, chamber of commerce manager, Monday in discussing the new brochures completed this week. Roland said a large number of people had been calling and asking for the magazine type brochure.

Need for this type of publication has been increasing rapidly during the past two years. As popularity of Buffalo Lake, Palo Duro State Park, and Panhandle-Plains Historical Society Museum grows so does the need for attractive pictorial publicity.

The new brochures are of regular magazine size, 8½x11, and contain eight pages. The major part of the attractive brochures is taken up in pictures. Short paragraphs give the story of the pictures so a traveling person or

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Funeral Service Held Monday for J. A. Borders

Graveside rites were conducted at Amarillo's Memorial Park Cemetery Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock for James A. Borders who died at his home in Clinton, Okla., Saturday morning of a heart attack. Funeral services for the deceased were conducted at the First Baptist Church in Clinton, Okla., at 10 o'clock Monday. The body was then brought to Memorial Park Cemetery for graveside rites and burial.

Rev. Stigler of the First Baptist Church of Clinton, officiated at services there. Amarillo graveside services were conducted by Rev. Taylor of the Emanuel Baptist Church. Funeral arrangements were under the direction of the Gene Standley Funeral Home of Clinton.

Borders was 41 years old and an employee of Southwestern Stationery and Bank Supply Company of Lawton, Oklahoma. He was formerly with the Amarillo store but had resided in Clinton for the past four years. A native of Georgia, he came to the Panhandle about 1938 and previous to going into the U. S. Army, lived in Tulia. While in service he won campaign ribbons in the Pacific Theater of Operations. Upon returning from service he worked out of Amarillo calling upon various firms in Canyon.

In 1941 Borders married a Canyon girl, Miss Helen Hardman. During his four years at Clinton he was a devoted civic worker. He was president of the Clinton Travelers Association at which he presided and made a speech at a banquet only a few hours before his death. He leaves many friends in Canyon and a good record in his company where he traveled in Texas, Oklahoma, and New Mexico.

In Clinton the Borders had just bought a new home and were in the process of moving in at the time of his death. After the tragic death neighbors came in and helped get the house straightened up.

The deceased is survived by his wife, Helen Borders, and their five year old son, Joe Mac. He is also survived by his mother, Mrs. D. A. Borders of Lyerly, Georgia. There are three surviving brothers. They are Lee of Atlanta, Georgia; J. H. of Cedar Town, Georgia, and B. B. of Gadsden, Georgia.

Mrs. Borders is a sister of Mrs. Charles Donnell of Canyon.

Sale of License Plates Lagging

According to a report from Tax Assessor-Collector Bill Money's office, Randall County car and truck registration this year is nearly 3,000 behind last year's registratiin at this time. Bill said the sale of license plates had been very slow this year with seldom more than three or four people in line for licenses at one time.

Tuesday morning the total number of passenger cars registered was 1,640. Money said that this did not include commercial, truck and farm pick-up licenses. He added that most of these vehicles were still to be registered.

One reason for the decreased number of license sold this year was given as residents of each county must register their cars in that county. Last year a large number of cars from other counties were registered in Randall County. Enforcement of a state law saying these cars must be registered in the county where their owners live, prevents these vehicles from being registered here this year.

Librarians of WT At State Meeting

Three Canyon librarians will attend the annual convention of the Texas Library Association in Mineral Wells Wednesday through Saturday. General sessions of the four-day meeting will be devoted to addresses outlining ways in which libraries can contribute to varied business and community interests.

Joe H. Bailey, West Texas State librarian, will serve on the advisory council for the Texas University Graduate Library School. Also from Canyon are Mrs. Linnie Harter, WT Elementary School librarian and publicity chairman for District 1 of the association, and Miss Linnie Babston, WT associate librarian.

Senator A. M. Aiken, Jr., will appear on the program Saturday to speak on "Library Service for all of Texas." Other speakers include Grace Patterson Meyer, Children's book editor for Abingdon-Cokesbury Press; Margaret Brach-

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Ministerial Alliance Called Upon To Hold Special Services For Rain

Highlight of the regular Chamber of Commerce meeting at noon Thursday centered around a letter received earlier in the week by Chamber of Commerce Charlie Donnell from A. J. Green, president of the Chamber of Commerce at Carlsbad, New Mexico. The letter was seeking cooperation of surrounding towns in holding a month of special church meetings to pray for rain. The Chamber of Commerce sought the help of the Ministerial Alliance in conducting four weeks of special services and prayer.

In the letter Green points out that men have been hired to seed clouds in an attempt to get rain. This money was wasted as it got no results. The writer asks the Chamber of Commerce to seek the aid of local civic clubs and schools in promoting the special services. Quoting Abraham Lincoln, the letter reads, "Oh, how many times have I been driven to my knees because there was no other place to go."

Following the Chamber of Commerce meeting Donnell contacted Win R. Matsler, president of the Ministerial Alliance, who in turn called a meeting of the ministers in the afternoon to work out the details of the special services. Those present at the meeting were Rev. Matsler, Rev. Strauss Atkinson, pastor of the First Baptist Church; Rev. Lester L. Hill, pastor of the Methodist Church; Rev. T. Winston Wilbanks, pastor of the Presbyterian Church; and Charlie Donnell, president of the Chamber of Commerce.

The ministers present decided that such a program should be followed to break the drouth and immediately began work on details. One of the first things decided upon was using a loud speaker on Saturdays publicizing the mass meetings to be held on Sundays. They divided the names in the telephone book to call and inform the people personally of the services.

Announcements of the services will also be carried to the public schools. Mass meetings are to be held Sunday afternoons at 3 o'clock from the bandstand of the square.

Donnell said the Chamber of Commerce also discussed other civic improvements. One of the improvements they plan to work on, as soon as the city elections are over on April 6, is that of a city park. He said the industrial committee was attempting to increase the enrollment at WT and had already secured $500 in scholarships. The scholarships are to be given to five people, $100 each.

The first prayer service was conducted Sunday with approximately 400 people present. Rev. Strauss Atkinson, pastor of the First Baptist Church, had charge of the service. The service started at 3 o'clock and lasted approximately 30 minutes.

Reverend Atkinson opened the service with a scripture reading from the seventh chapter of II Chronicles, 13th and 14th verses, which read: "If I shut up heaven that there be no rain, or if I command the locusts to devour the land, or if I send pestilence among my people; If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land."

A brief period of silent prayer was observed which was followed by three men who offered voice prayers with Reverend Atkinson closing the prayer service. The prayer services are to continue for another three weeks. Rev. Lester L. Hill, pastor of the Methodist Church, will have charge of the service Sunday. The public address system Saturday to get the people out on Sunday will be the task of the Christian Church. Plans for the services are being worked out week by week, announced Rev. Win R. Matsler, pastor of the First Christian Church and president of the Ministerial Alliance.

Music Contests During Weekend

Three Region XI, Interscholastic League music contests will be held during April at West Texas State College, with the first of the high school competitions slated Saturday, according to M. J. Newman, WT music department head.

More than 500 students will participate in Saturday's instrumental solo and ensemble events, with nearly 30 schools of the area represented. Soloists and instrumental groups will play before judges from 8:30 a. m. until about 5:30 p. m.

Woodwind solos and ensembles will be judged by Everett Gates, Oklahoma City University, and Pat Arsers, Alamo Heights High School, San Antonio. John J. Haynie, North Texas State, will judge cornet and French horn solos; G. T. Gilligan, Kermit High School, will judge brass solos and ensembles; and Paul Lovett, Lubbock, is judge for percussion and junior high and small schools ensembles and clarinet solos.

Vocal solos, ensembles, and choirs from Region XI will compete here April 8-9, with more than 1,000 students expected from AAAA, AAA, AA, A, B, C, and CC schools in the area. Some 43

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Election Tuesday For City Officials

On Tuesday of next week the people will go to the polls for the purpose of electing city officials for another two years. One of the healthiest signs of a town or city is a large number of voters appearing on election day to cast their ballots. Four men are in the official race in which three men will be elected Tuesday.

Hosea Foster is the only candidate for Mayor. Bob Bellah, Paul Lindsey, and Bob Collinsworth are candidates for Commissioners. Only two commissioners will be elected which means that the people have their choice in this particular field. Outgoing officials are A. L. Walsh, Mayor, and Commissioners O. W. (Bud) Parker, Jr., and Herschel Coffee.

The fact that there is opposition in only one of the positions should not keep people from the polls. Really and truly the important phase of the campaign is to get out and vote. Your vote can help bolster the morale of the new men who will be taking over civic matters for the next two years.

Public officials in this type of job receive very small pay for their services that could be classed as a salary. In fact, the job is a time consuming one. There is only one thing that the public can do to show their appreciation for the men willing to accept their responsibilities is to get out and vote.

You can continue to show your appreciation by taking an active part in civic affairs. Whether you are for or against an issue is not such an important question as your participation in the civic problems of your community.

Observe Simms Funeral in Happy

Funeral services for Lt. Harold Glenn Simms, victim of an airplane crash, were held Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Church of Christ at Happy. Simms was killed Tuesday in an airplane crash about 40 miles north of Hamilton Field, California. Burial was in the Happy cemetery and funeral arrangements were by the Griggs-Warren Funeral Home.

Lieutenant Simms was born on March 11, 1927, in Happy. He attended the public schools at Happy and later Texas Technological College, Lubbock. During World War II he served with the Navy and enlisted in the Air Force in 1952. The fatal crash was in a jet fighter plane. There was another officer in the plane who parachuted to safety.

Survivors include Mr. and Mrs. John Simms, parents of Harold Glenn, of Happy; four brothers, Morris, Eugene, and Weldon, of Happy, and Leo, of Dallas; one sister, Miss Nelda Simms, of Happy.

Dollar Day Value Offered Friday

Always check Canyon first for values and always check extra close when Canyon's Dollar Day comes along. This extra-value day comes again Friday, April 2.

Local merchants agreed upon holding Dollar Day values on the first Friday of each month over two years ago. The Chamber of Commerce was instrumental in getting the Dollar Day program under way.

On this particular day careful plans are made to give the public money-saving values. By checking the ads and seeing what these merchants have to offer, you can save money on things that are essential. For special values at home check every merchant's Dollar Day specials Friday.

Graveside Rites For Ricky L. Powers

Graveside rites were conducted Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock for Ricky Leon Powers, one-day-old son of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Powers. Rev. Strauss Atkinson, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiated at the service.

Burial was in Dreamland Cemetery under the direction of Griggs-Warren Funeral Home.

Survivors include the father, L. L. Powers; the mother, Mrs. Catheryn S. Powers; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Shelnutt of Canyon and paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Powers of Portales, New Mexico.

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EDITORIAL COMMENTS

Rate Your Own Town and You May Determine Its Own Worth

No questionnaire is foolproof. But if you can circle "yes" on 30 or more of the virtues below, chances are you live in a town of which you can be proud.

1. Most high school graduates stay in town. Yes No
2. Getting a loan on a sound business venture is easy. Yes No
3. The local paper constantly pushes civic improvements. Yes No
4. There's a Chamber of Commerce with a live-wire manager. Yes No
5. Local speeders pay the same fines as out-of-towners. Yes No
6. There's a place to swim within easy reach. Yes No
7. Young couples have little trouble finding a place to live. Yes No
8. The head of your government is a "get-things-done" man. Yes No
9. Town entrances are free from junk, shacks and billboards. Yes No
10. Teachers' salaries are better than the state average. Yes No
11. There's at least one doctor per 800 people in your county. Yes No
12. There's a library with a good collection of recent books. Yes No
13. Newcomers quickly feel they're part of the town. Yes No
14. Schools have plenty of room for students. Yes No
15. Fire insurance rates are low for your type of town. Yes No
17. There is an active, well-organized Boy Scout troop. Yes No
18. A modern hospital is within your trading area. Yes No
19. All streets are paved and sidewalks are in good shape. Yes No
20. Well-stocked stores keep shoppers in the town. Yes No
21. There's a hotel or motel you'd enjoy if you were a visitor. Yes No
22. It's easy to find parking space in the business section. Yes No
23. At least one restaurant serves outstanding meals. Yes No
24. The sewer extension program keeps pace with new housing. Yes No
25. It's easy to get volunteers for any worthwhile project. Yes No
26. Public toilets are provided for farm folk shopping in town. Yes No
27. Prompt, reasonably priced ambulance service is available. Yes No
28. Good zoning keeps factories away from residential areas. Yes No
29. There's an annual Clean-Up, Paint-Up, Fix-Up week. Yes No
30. Streets throughout the community are well lighted. Yes No
31. More than half the church congregations are younger than 40. Yes No
32. Shade trees line nearly all the streets. Yes No
33. There's an ample supply of good drinking water. Yes No
34. There's a recreation center where young people can dance. Yes No
35. The business section has a modern, prosperous look. Yes No
36. There's as much interest in local as national elections. Yes No
37. The tax rate is attractive to new industry. Yes No
38. There's a community council to guide town progress. Yes No
39. There's an active P-TA. Yes No
40. Firemen must take regular training courses. Yes No

What Would You Do About the Wages Paid on High Seas?

Some people may wonder why a certain amount of government financial aid to American merchant shipping is needed if our flag is to remain on the high seas.

One set of figures should be sufficient to provide the answer. A study was made of the difference in wage costs between leading maritime nations, using a C-2 cargo ship as a typical example. It was found that wages ran $4,100 a month on a Japanese vessel; $5,100 on a German or Norwegian; $5,600 on a British, and on up to $6,900 on a Dutch ship. By contrast, the figure was $24,500 a month for an American flag ship—three to six times that of our principal competitors.

The situation is comparable in the case of other costs involved both in building and operating merchant vessels.

This is why it has long been government policy to make differential-payments to American ships serving the world's essential trade routes. These payments have worked out to about 25 cents per year for each person employed in this country. That's certainly a small price to pay for the survival of a service that is vital in both peace and war.

Jobless Count Is a Tough Issue to Decide Nationally

No doubt you have been confused by the varied claims made by unemployment in this nation.

So far as we know, there is no way to accurately count noses and tell who is working, and who does not want a job.

Unless all figures fail, there are more people working today than ever before in the history of the nation.

While the war was on, it was figured that there were about two million persons not working. What percentage was quitting one job to go to another; the number who did not want work; those who simply never worked and were too lazy to work.

Republicans claim that the number of unemployed is about normal; the Democrats chide the question.

Who knows? We sure don't.

Our Own Advice: Remember there is no magic to accomplish worthwhile things.

Some of the smartest things that we have heard have come from the lips of children.

Learn To Go More Slowly and Enjoy a Longer Period of Life

If you want to be healthy morally, mentally and physically, just let go.

Let go of the little bothers of everyday life, the irritations and the petty vexations that cross your path daily. Don't take them up and nurse them, pet them and brood over them. They are not worth while. Let them go.

That little hurt you got from a friend, perhaps it wasn't intended, perhaps it was, but never mind, let it go. Refuse to think about it.

Let go of that feeling of hatred you have for another, the jealousy, the envy, the malice, let go all such thoughts. Sweep them out of your mind, and you will be surprised what a cleaning and rejuvenating effect it will have upon you, both physically and mentally. Let them all go; you house them at deadly risk.

But the big troubles, the bitter disappointments, the deep wrongs and the heart-breaking sorrows, tragedies of life ,what about them? Why, just let them go too. Drop them, softly maybe, but surely. Put away all regret and bitterness, and let sorrow be only a softening influence. Yes, let them go, too, and make the most of the future.

Then that little pet ailment that you have been hanging on to and talking about, let it go. It will be a good riddance. You have treated it royally, but abandon it; let it go. Talk about health, instead, and health will come. Quit nursing that pet ailment, and let go.

It is not so hard after once you get used to the habit of — letting go of these things. You will find it such an easy way to get rid of the things that may mar and embitter life that you will enjoy letting them go. You will find the world such a beautiful place. You will find it beautiful because you will be free to enjoy it—free in mind and body.

Learn to let go. As you value health of body and peace of mnid, let go—just simply let go.

Hollanders Do Not Like the Way American Manufacturers Work

What would typical industrial workers from one of the advanced European countries think of working and living conditions in the United States? An illuminating answer is provided in an article by Dewitt C. Morrill which appeared in a recent issue of the Wall Street Journal.

It seems that the head of a Dutch concern which manufactures linoleum is an enthusiast for American ways. He decided that he wanted some of his employes to see for themselves how things are done this side of the Atlantic. So he sent five of them over here, paying their fares and continuing their salaries in their absence, to work for three months in the Pennsylvania plants of a leading American manufacturer of linoleum and allied products. Mr. Morrill's article deals with what the quintet thought and felt when the three months were up and it was time to go home.

They didn't find that everything is good in this country. They were disturbed by the fact that so many wives work here. And they didn't believe "that an American with his automobile is any happier than a Dutchman with his bicycle." They were proud of Holland's record of amicable labor-management relations—there hasn't been a serious strike there in 15 years. But for the most part their reaction to American life was one of pleased surprise.

One source of their surprise is that the high degree of mechanization in American factories "doesn't take the bread out of the mouths of people, but gets more work in the same time." Another is the overtime pay, which is hardly known in Holland. And their wages were very high by comparison with those they had been accustomed to. All the men, being temporary employes, did unskilled work for the most part, but the weekly pay checks ran from $60 to as much as $90 with overtime. In Holland, the government fixes the work week at 48 hours and hourly pay is about 36 cents.

Most startling of all to them, Mr. Morrill records, was what their wages would buy. He quotes one as saying, "If I were 20 years younger I'd never think of staying in Holland if I could come here." Another, who has a large family, said that at home he has to make an overcoat last 10 or 15 years and can afford meat but once a week. Still another said in wistful fashion, "If there were a way to drive to Amsterdam from here I could, after only three months of work, buy a used car and drive right to my door. In Holland, I couldn't accomplish that in a whole lifetime."

They were also deeply impressed by the amount of leisure time allowed workers on the job. One of them told Mr. Morrill that such little luxuries as a five-minute break for a smoke or a soft drink is unheard of in Holland. Another said: "So many vending machines in the factories! And so much used. I got so I hardly thought about buying two packs of cigarettes a day. At home, if I did that, I would be spending money my family needs."

The Business Is There—But How Is Your Sales Force?

An article in a recent issue of Newsweek magazine should interest consumers.

It began: "The business is there. It's up to us to go out and get it. That's the way most of the nation's producers and retailers are reacting these highly competitive days."

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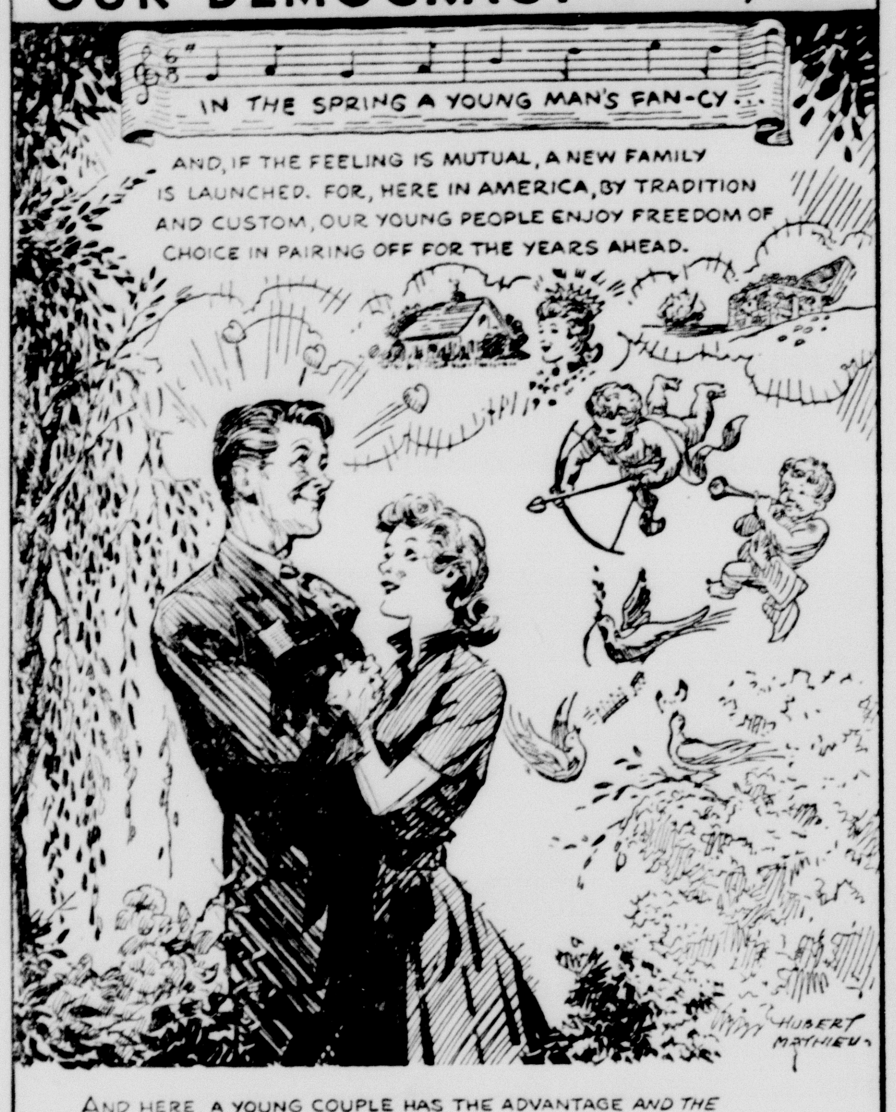
IN THE SPRING A YOUNG MAN'S FAN-CY...
HUBERT MATHIEU

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TO: AGNES MARY HOLT Defendant, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable 47th District Court of Randall County at the Court House thereof, in Canyon, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 19th day of April A. D. 1954, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 4th day of March A. D. 1954, in this cause, numbered 2725 on the docket of said court and styled Orville J. Holt, Plaintiff, vs. Agnes Mary Holt, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Suit for divorce and for custody of the minor children of the parties, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Canyon, Texas, this the 5th day of March A. D. 1954.

Attest: Ethel Mullins Clerk,
47th District Court, Randall
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By Sue Lambert Deputy.
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A SOUR NOTE

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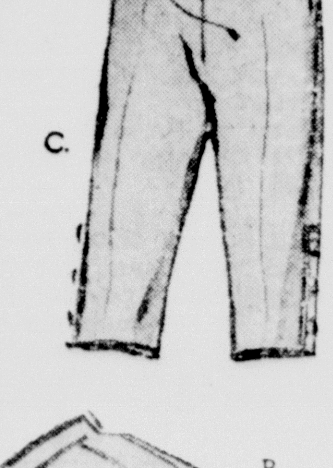

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H. C. Dawson
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Albert Hartman
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A. W. Harding
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Mrs. Winfield Miller
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Mrs. Henry Reineke
Murrell Latimer
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Mrs. Dan Sanders
L. E. Thomas
Walter Stubblefield
Mrs. J. W. Fain
Mrs. Michael Morris
April 8
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Mrs. Dudley Moore, Jr.

JUST HERSELF

She — Do you love me for myself alone?

He — Yes, and when we're married, I don't want any of the family thrown in.

MISTAKES

Show us the man who never makes a mistake and we will show a man who never makes anything. —H. L. Wayland

Any man can make a mistake, but none but a fool will continue in it. —Cicero

No persons are more frequently wrong, than those who will not admit they are wrong. —Rochefoucauld

Mistakes are lessons of wisdom. The past cannot be changed. The future is yet in your power. —Hugh White

We often discover what will do, by finding out what will not do; and probably he who never made a mistake never made a discovery. —Samuel Smiles

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CORDETTES MEET IN HOME OF MRS. W. M. COLLINS

Mrs. W. M. Collins, 2011 First Avenue, was hostess to the Cordettes Tuesday evening, March 23.

A business meeting was called to order. Lavon Fassauer was elected president and Jane Collins was elected secretary-treasurer. Plans were made for the membership booklets.

After adjournment of the business session, everyone enjoyed an exciting game of canasta.

St. Patrick's Day theme was commemorated with the refreshments.

Members attending were Lavon Fassauer, Shirley Lehnick, Louise Russell, Jane Harding, Bettie Davis, Norma Dawson, Jean Morgan, and the hostess.

The next meeting will be in the home of Shirley Lehnick.

MRS. HARDAWAY ENTERTAINS CANYON H. D. CLUB FRIDAY

On Friday, March 19, the Canyon Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. E. L. Hardaway. After the business session was conducted Miss Lou Ella Patterson, H. D. agent, gave a demonstration on background for living rooms.

During the tea hour refreshments were served to two visitors and members present. Visitors were Miss Patterson and Mrs. Roy Joe Stevens. Members were Mesdames Crawford Ruthart, Durwood Brown, L. K. Bolton, W. O. Nunley, J. D. Loudder, and the hostess.

The next meeting will be conducted April 2 in the home of Mrs. J. D. Loudder.

The nation's unemployed rose 524,000 to 3,671,000 in February, the Bureau of the Census of the Department of Commerce reported.

The world's largest cargo ship is being finished in Japan.

The annual rate of personal income in January dropped $2,000,000,000 from the December rate.

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By VERN SANFORD
Texas Press Association

AUSTIN: All is far from sweetness and light in the Legislature.

On the session's first day, Senator Joe Russell of Royce City took Governor Allan Shivers and Senator Ottis Lock to task, saying that they were Republicans running as Democrats.

Russell pledged that he would run for Governor, if necessary, to make sure Shivers had an opponent.

Also, difference of opinion persisted as to the method of solving the teacher-pay problem. It appears that stormy meetings are developing over this issue with Speaker Reuben Senterfitt pitted against supporters of the plan presented by Governor Shivers.

Another indication of the tempo was a 10-hour filibuster by Senator Jimmy Phillips of Angleton. Peculiarly enough it came about during a committee meeting.

Despite the filibuster, which lasted until 2 a. m., the Senate finance committee approved an $11 million state building program. Phillips' was the only vote cast against it.

Senator Harley Sadler of Abilene commented: "This is my first experience at seeing a filibuster in a committee. It seems so foolish and childish to take the time of a 21-member committee because of the real or imagined objection of one member, and to punish other committee members by a lot of asinine questions."

That threatened march on Austin by the thousands of old folks seeking more pensions . . . fizzled. Only two showed up, Cyclone Davis of Dallas, a persistent candidate for public office, and an 88-year-old Austin man.

Davis announced a gathering on the capitol steps, but he and his aged cohort, plus one page boy and one reporter, made up the crowd.

Oil news brought two cheering notes to the state's financial picture and to legislators seeking revenue to meet current salary and building problems.

Comptroller Robert S. Calvert reported that $11 million more than he had anticipated nine months ago now is in sight from crude oil sources for the next two years.

Last summer's increased taxes from oil is the result of a 25-cent hike in oil prices, Calvert said. For the past year, oil has paid the state more than $10 million a month.

Another factor that brightened the picture was boosted oil production. It has been on a long downward trend.

Allowable for March was above that for February by 159,000 barrels per day, and further climbs are in sight.

Legislative committees have been studying tax plans to raise the money for teacher and state employee salary increases and for construction work at state institutions.

In the House of Representatives the revenue and taxation committee, headed by Representative D. H. Buchanan of Longview, held a hearing Monday on increasing the state tax on beer.

There were two proposals of this nature. One, by Representative Joe Pool of Dallas, would increase the levy from the present $1.37 to $10 per barrel. That would bring in an additional $35 million more per year, according to Pool.

Representative Joe Kilgore of McAllen, handling Governor Shivers' tax plans, introduced the other beer bill, which would hike the tax to $2 per barrel and raise $3 million more from that source.

On Tuesday afternoon, the committee had scheduled a hearing on a franchise tax bill, by Representative Kilgore, raising the present levy from $1.25 per $1,000 of corporation assets to $2. Increased revenue here would be an estimated $8.6 million.

Wednesday afternoon was set aside for a committee hearing on Kilgore's proposal to tax natural gas. About $14 million would come from this source.

There were many other proposals, but those just mentioned were the first to be considered by the tax committee.

In the Senate, the education committee unanimously approved a compromise plan, endorsed by the governor and the Texas State Teachers Association, to increase teachers' pay.

School leaders told the committee that where teachers already receive the $2,854 minimum required by the bill, districts could use additional revenue for other purposes.

Representative Tom Joseph of Waco introduced a bill that would provide a minimum pay raise of $350 for teachers and $100 for merit raises. Local school boards would determine how to distribute merit pay hikes.

House Speaker Reuben Senterfitt said the Joseph measure came close to his ideas about a "realistic approach" to the teacher-pay problem.

Two anti-communist bills were discussed Monday by the Senate civil jurisprudence committee.

Senator Rogers Kelley of Edinburg is author of the two measures. They were proposed by the Texas Industrial Commission, appointed by the governor to study subversive influences in Texas.

One of the bills would outlaw Communists in Texas and the other would establish a Communist Review Board. A 20-year prison sentence is provided as penalty for Communist Party membership.

On Tuesday the Senate State Affairs Committee considered a resolution by Senator Kelley endorsing the Bricker amendment limiting the authority of Federal officials to make international pacts without congressional approval.

Senator Kilmer Corbin of Lubbock introduced in the Senate a resolution designed to stop payment of state funds to Duval County and its independent school districts until financial affairs there are audited.

State and federal agencies have, for some time, been investigating the financial affairs of the county and school districts, as well as the income tax reports of George B. Parr and others.

State Auditor C. H. Cavness, one of the investigators, revealed that numerous records were missing.

C. Woodrow Laughlin of Alice and his attorneys have indicated they will appeal to the U. S. Supreme Court last week's historic ruling by the State Supreme Court which removed Judge Laughlin from office.

Laughlin was elected Judge of the politically turbulent South Texas 79th District Court in 1952, with the help of Duval County's George B. Parr. The judge was found guilty of dismissing, without lawful authority, a grand jury which had indicted him on two counts and which also was investigating his brother, County Commissioner W. M. Laughlin.

Members of the Old Party Organization of Women Voters of Duval County, a pro-Parr group, moved into Austin on Friday, enmasse, to express to the Governor their views on the Duval County situation.

Dozens of automobiles bearing the party's placards could be seen parked around the capitol grounds.

Good news to Attorney General John Ben Shepperd was the U. S. Supreme Court's refusal to admit a suit challenging state ownership of the tidelands and legislation to that effect passed by Congress last year.

Action of the court was described by Shepperd as "a milestone in the long fight of Texas to recover her off-shore lands."

SHORT SNORTS: Wilson Heard, Jr., Refugio druggist and rancher, is Governor Shivers' latest appointment to the Texas Liquor Control Board. He replaced L. B. Brown of Dallas whose term expired . . . Nelson Brown, executive director of the Texas Commission on Alcoholism, says that problem drinkers are increasing in number and there are now 200,000 of them in Texas . . . Representative Jack Fisk of Wharton wants to stop state colleges and state agencies from buying refrigerated air conditioners because "patients in state hospitals have to get along without air conditioning, and able-bodied college students ought to get along without it too" . . . Dan Moody, Jr., son of the former governor, was appointed by Lt. Governor Ben Ramsey as parliamentarian for the Senate, for the special session.

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Instructions on Tornadoes Given By Civil Defense

"The weather has been tossing around some warning signals lately — signals which mean that the annual tornado season is upon us."

That warning comes from Bill Sternenberg, local civil defense and disaster relief chairman.

Sternenberg pointed out that Texas has more natural disasters, both major and minor, than any other part of the nation. What's more, he added, there is no reason to believe that 1954 will be any different from 1953 or any other year.

A number of Texans were able to save their lives last year — particularly in Waco and San Angelo, the Texas cities hardest hit by tornadoes — because they knew what to do when confronted by nature gone berserk.

Sternenberg also pointed out that if the following rules are followed under various conditions, one's chances for survival under tornado conditions increase enormously.

1. The best universal protection is a cave or underground excavation. When time permits, go to a tornado cellar, cave, or underground excavation with an air outlet. Any of these should be kept fit for use, meaning free from water, gas or debris, and preferably equipped with pick and shovel.

2. In in open country, move at right angles to the tornado's path. Tornadoes usually move ahead at about 25 to 40 miles per hour.

3. If in a city or town, seek inside shelter. Stay away from windows. In homes, the southwest corner of the lowest floor or the basement offers the greatest safety.

People living in brick or stone houses should seek other shelter, preferably in a storm cellar or the basement of a frame house. Electricity and fuel lines should be shut off. Windows on the north and east sides of the house may also be opened to help reduce building damage. Standing against the inside wall on a lower floor of an office building offers some protection.

4. If in schools in city areas, stay inside, away from windows, and near an inside wall on the lower floor. Auditorium and gymnasiums should be avoided under circumstances. If in rural area schools, children and teachers should be removed to a ravine or ditch if a storm shelter is not available.

5. If in factories and industrial plants, a lookout should be posted immediately upon receiving a tornado warning, and he should keep safety officials advised of the tornado's approach. Advance preparation should be made for shutting off electrical circuits and fuel lines if the tornado approaches the plant. Workers should be moved to sections of the plant offering the greatest protection.

6. It doesn't help to get excited. Even though a warning is issued, chances of a tornado striking one's home or location are very slight.

7. Keep tuned to your radio station for latest tornado advisory information. Do not call the Weather Bureau, except to report a tornado.

APPROPRIATE NAME

San Francisco, Calif. — Telling the judge that she held down an outside job and did all the housework while her husband spent all of his time drinking, Judge Milton D. Shapiro granted a divorce to Mrs. Elmer E. Booze.

HAIR CUT AT 2 WEEKS

Lubbock, Texas. — Although she was only two-weeks-old, Ann Hale was taken to a barber shop to have her hair cut.

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Robinson To Be Baptist Guest Speaker Sunday

DEAN BRYAN ROBINSON

Dean Bryan Robinson of Wayland College, Plainview, will be guest speaker at the First Baptist Church on April 4 at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.

Robinson, who joined the Wayland staff as dean of students on August 1, has been pastor of First Baptist Church, Oil City, La., for the past two years. Prior to that time he spent two years working toward his Ph.D. degree at the University of Edinburgh in Scotland.

Before serving four years in the armed services in Aleutian Islands, France and German, Dean Robinson received the B.A. degree from Baylor University. Following service he was granted the B.D. degree by Southwestern Theological Seminary, Fort Worth.

He has served as education and music director of Trinity Baptist Church, Fort Worth, and as pastor of Pleasant Point. In Scotland, he was youth director and pastor's assistant at St. Mary's Church, and with his younger brother, R. Jack Robinson, has conducted many youth revivals and worked with youth camps and assemblies.

MRS. BURTZ IS HOSTESS TO PLEASANTVIEW H. D. CLUB

Mrs. Clifford Burtz was hostess to members of the Pleasantview Home Demonstration Club Wednesday, March 24. Mrs. E. L. Cranmer acted as president in the absence of Mrs. Cristler Crain.

Opening exercises were again directed by Mrs. B. F. Hufnagle. Mrs. John Jennings gave the council report. Mrs. Hufnagle was elected T. H. D. A. chairman and a delegate to the district meeting to be held in Panhandle April 22.

Recreation committee announced that a hat party will be given for the members on April 9. Each member is required to make and wear a hat.

The program was directed by Mrs. Dale Hamm. She gave an interesting demonstration on making quilted pictures. Also instructions and examples for suitable frames were given.

Refreshments of pecan pie and coffee were served to guests, Mesdames Hufnagle of Indiana and Dale Hamm of Amarillo. Members present were Mesdames Clifford Prichard, Marion Keller, Earl Burtz, E. L. Cranmer, John Jennings, Hufnagle, J. W. Howell, R. A. Hodges, Joe Carver, and the hostess.

MRS. JOAN HICKS HOSTESS TO CENTRAL H. D. CLUB FRIDAY

Mrs. Joan Hicks entertained the Central Home Demonstration Club in the home of her mother, Mrs. J. C. Hutchinson, on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Roll call was answered by "Colors I Like in My Living Room."

Miss Lou Ella Patterson, county demonstration agent, gave an interesting demonstration on "Backgrounds for the Living Room."

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Velton Sorgee, J. M. Breitling, K. E. Hines, Kenneth Clark, Piner Stevens, Rae M. Walters, J. C. Hutchinson, Reed, P. L. Pitt, Mary Donnell, Mary Jackson, Lillie Foster, Frank R. Phillips, Win Matsler, Misses Betty Hutchinson, and Patterson, and the hostess.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Mary Donnell on April 9.

WESTSIDE H. D. CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. FRANK CARTER

The Westside Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday, March 17, in the home of Mrs. Frank Carter.

Mrs. J. T. Brown presided in the absence of the president. Roll call was answered with some interesting remembrance of birthplaces. A recreation period was held. Mrs. Lewis Harvey gave council report.

Refreshments of fruit jello, cookies, cocoa and coffee were served to Mesdames Ray Metcalf, Ed Bourn, E. T. Zachry, J. B. Hager, J. T. Brown, R. A. Burrus, Lewis Harvey, B. A. Burrus, by the hostess.

Next meeting will be April 7 in the home of Mrs. Ray Metcalf.

DOG IN COURT

Atlantic City, N. J. — Laddie, a brown and white collie, recently had his day—in court. He was called as a witness in a damage suit to prove that he wasn't a vicious dog.

Barbara Beck Is 1954 Lions Queen

Barbara Beck, a Canyon girl and student at West Texas State College, was elected queen of the Canyon Lions Club Wednesday to the Lions district convention to be held in Amarillo. Barbara was presented a bouquet of red roses by President W. T. McGregor, who also presented the other candidates a red rose.

Miss Beck was selected from five candidates. The other four in the race for queen were Ann Holt, escorted by Hugh Greiner; Frances Cunningham, escorted by Charles Wright. Ann and Frances are Canyon girls also. Pat Lewis, of Borger, was escorted by Joe Findley, and Gayle Gossett of Clayton, N. M., was escorted by George Blackwell. Miss Beck was escorted by Strauss "Casanova" Atkinson.

Ladies night committee reported that a Ladies Night Banquet will be held tomorrow night in the high school cafeteria.

Cooper's Leading Women's League

Cooper's Market took three out of four points from Graham's Grocery Monday night to keep its lead in the Palo Duro Women's League.

Young's Drive-In also took three out of four points from Palo Duro Dress Shop, and Stevenson Pontiac totaled three out of four from Canyon Drug.

Palo Duro Dress Shop is still in second place followed by Graham's Grocery, Young's Drive-In, Canyon Drug, and Stevenson Pontiac.

Fay Bosley had a 169 to take the high game. Sue Miller and Jean Walker tied for second with 165 each and Ema Gene Zachry's 162 took third place honors.

DEN PACK 97 ORGANIZES

On March 17 a new Cub Scout den was organized. Den 1, Pack 97, is composed of nine charter members, Dudley Moore III, Steve Burgess, Bill Jarnagin, Jim Bailie, Eddie Poole, Reggy Reeves, Ronald Bacon, Billie Walker and Layne Cosby.

Clark Jarnagin is Cubmaster with A. L. Bacon as assistant and Dudley Moore, Rex Reeves, and Jack Walker committeemen. Mrs. Reeves and Mrs. Walker are den mothers.

Billy Walker was elected denner; Reggy Reeves, assistant denner; and Jim Bailie, Keeper of the Buckskin, at their first meeting.

Mrs. Sidney Burgess served refreshments at this meeting.

Meetings were held on March 23 and 30.

Mrs. J. C. Dowd, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. G. S. Ballard, of Amarillo, spent one night last week in Tulia with their sister, Mrs. Murray Evans. The next day the three sisters returned to Canyon to spend one night; then they spent a night in Amarillo. Mrs. Evans came back to Canyon and stayed until Sunday with Mrs. Dowd.

Mrs. Lewis Stoelzing returned Sunday night from McKinney, where Mr. Stoelzing recently underwent surgery. He will not be able to leave the hospital for some time.

Mrs. Dempsey Alexander and son of Lockney, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gollehan and daughter, Wanda, of House, N. M., spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Gladys Haines.

Mrs. Bill Perry of Lubbock spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Gladys Haines. Mr. Perry joined his wife here on Saturday and they returned home Sunday.

Mrs. E. J. Cundiff, Mrs. Ray Campbell, Mrs. Mary Bradford Black and Mrs. Newton Harrell spent the week-end in Austin visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Stevenson, Sr., have returned from Phoenix, Ariz., where they visited in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Fred Jennings, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Metz LaFollette and children spent the week-end with her parents, J. W. and Mrs. Bourn.

Political Announcements

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
P. H. BABER

For County Judge:
ROY JOE STEVENS

For County Attorney:
D. E. "Gene" McGLASSON

For Sheriff:
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For County Treasurer:
MRS. RUTH ADCOCK HILL

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T. H. LAIR

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CLARENCE BECKMAN

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
GLENN W. DOWLEN

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
CHAS. Y. JOHNSON

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1:
CARL ANDERSON

For District Clerk:
MRS. ETHEL MULLINS
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HENRY S. BISHOP

For District Attorney, 47th Judicial District:
A. J. ROBINSON

For Justice of the Peace: Precinct No. 4:
MRS. W. J. FLESHER

For State Representative, 94-F District:
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GI BILL

The VA recently reported that 4,100,000 World War II veterans trained with Government aid to become skilled craftsmen or for the professions. A study covering the records of 7,800,000 veterans who had received GI bill training since the program began in June, 1944, showed that 2,600,000 World War II veterans trained as skilled craftsmen and 1,500,000 for the professions. Another 700,000 took courses in management and business administration and 43,000 trained for clerical and sales jobs.

LIVING COSTS

Living costs rose in January to a point just below the record, according to a recent Government report. On Feb. 26, the index stood at 15.2 per cent, the same as for last September, and just under the peak of 15.4 per cent of the 1947-48 average in October.

COP CHASES COP

Bethany, Okla. — Receiving a message to help Oklahoma City police head off a speeder, Police car No. 2 spotted a fast-moving car in the distance and radioed back: "We're chasing him now." Back came the message: "Bethany car No. 1 to Bethany car 2. Slow down, that's me you're chasing. I'm trying to catch that guy, too." The speeder got away.

BILL REVEALS BIGAMY

Los Angeles — Becoming suspicious because there were so many telephone calls to Strasburg, Ohio, on her husband's telephone bill, Mrs. Aubrey D. Jones made a call to Strasburg. She said she found out Jones had another wife there — Marjorie Jones, a taxi driver in Strasburg. Jones was arrested on a bigamy complaint.

Capt. C. E. Cone, who is stationed at Shreveport, La., visited with his son last week in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cone.

Fred Heller has gone by air to California where he will visit his sister, Mrs. Thomas Marshall, at Alhambra for a month.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Hicks, Mr and Mrs. Jack Ritchey and son, Don, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hicks.

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Club Assembly Held Tuesday by Rotary

Tuesday was the regular time for Club Assembly meetings of the various committees of Rotary.

In the absence of President Winston Wilbanks, Vice-President Boone McClure presented.

No reports were made by the various committees Tuesday, but written reports of the groups will be filed by the various chairman. These reports will be made to President Wilbanks.

Fourteen visitors were present, including one from Canyon and 13 from Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Emery have gone to Rantoul, Ill., to visit relatives.

WANTED

WANTED: A young reporter to be connected with The Canyon News. Knowledge of the typewriter is absolutely necessary; and must not be afraid of work. Prefer boy with little newspaper experience, but might consider a girl. Job will be open April 8. tf

BIDS WANTED: Notice is hereby given that the Commissioner's Court of Randall County will at 10:00 a. m. on the 26th day of April, 1954, meet to consider bids on the following item: One Special Roller Shelf Case, 16 Shelves high, 3 Shelves wide; a total of 48 Shelves; Outside Dimensions 67" high by 61" wide; Inside Clearance 65¼" high by 57" wide.

Obtain details on the above item and specifications from the County Clerk's office.

The item is to be advertised according to law. Bids shall be accompanied by bond as provided by article 2368 RCS and shall be opened and read in the County Court Room at the time set out above. The Court reserves the right to waive technicalities and to reject any and all bids. 51t2

Man or Woman OWN YOUR OWN BUSINESS: A new item. First time offered. Start in spare time, if satisfied then work full time. Refilling and collecting money from our machines in area. No Selling! To qualify for work you must have a car, reference, $600.00 cash to secure territory and inventory. Devoting 4 hours a week to business your end on percentage of collections could net up to $350.00 monthly with very good possibility of taking over full time. Income increasing accordingly. If applicant can qualify financial assistance will be given by Co. for expansion to full time position and $10,000.00 a year potential. Include phone in application. Box no. 928. 51p1

MAN OR WOMAN to distribute Watkins Nationally Advertised Products to established customers in Canyon. Full or part time. Earnings unlimited. No car or other investment necessary. Write Mr. C. R. Ruble, Dept. M-5, The J. R. Watkins Company, Memphis, Tenn.

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FOR SALE: City lots and block. Call 5-3758. 50p2

FOR SALE: New 36 volume Encyclopedia. Bargain price. Phone 5-3263. 49t1

FOR SALE: Laying red pullets, less than one year old, 8 for $10.00. Dial 5-3669. 51t1

FOR SALE: General Electric refrigerator. See at 1613 Second Ave. 51p1

FOR SALE: Two piece living room suite. Phone 5-3851. 51p1

FOR SALE: Five deck electric chicken brooder, $50. Ph. 5-3959. 51t1

FOR SALE: 1951 Buick special 4 door, 24000 miles. Must be sold to settle estate. See Loyd Buchanan at Canyon Motor. 51tf

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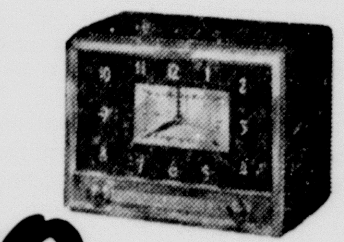

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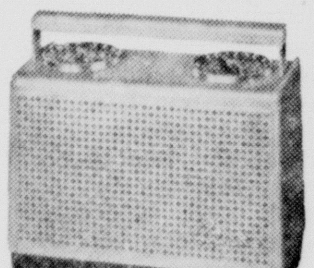

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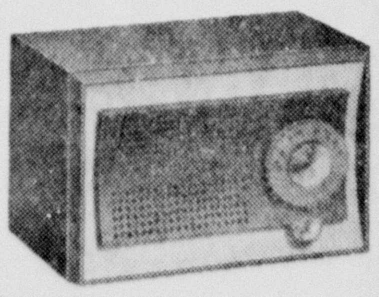

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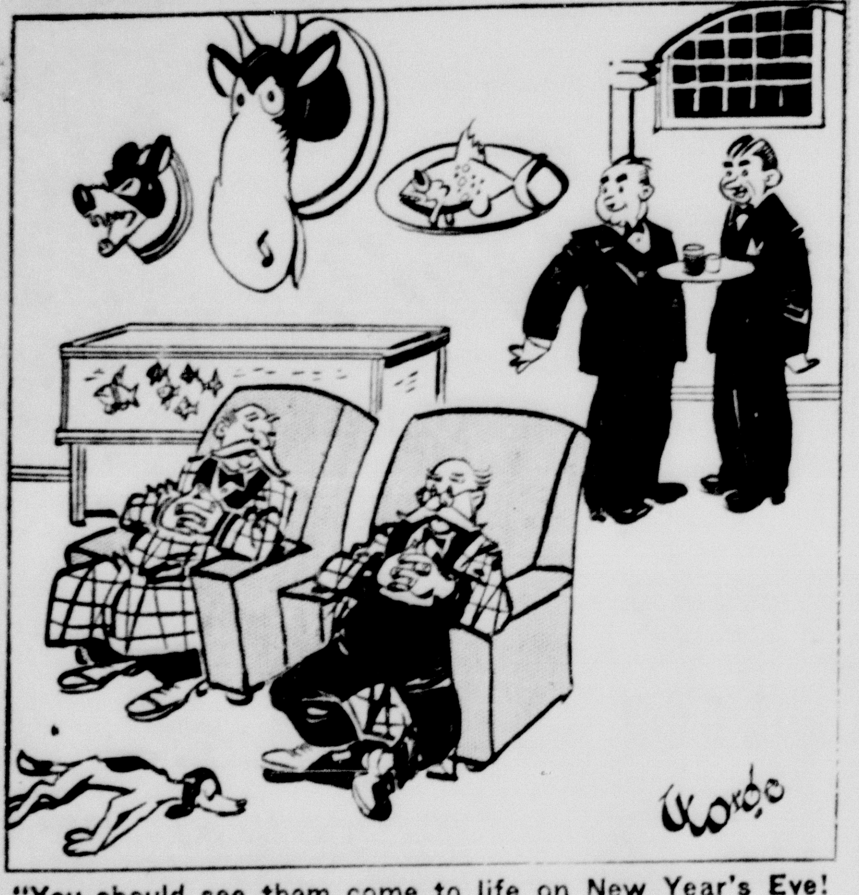

"You should see them come to life on New Year's Eve! They sit there and throw confetti at each other."

Native Uprisings at Kenya Cause British Troops Considerable Trouble

By HOWARD GOTLIEB

LONDON: Black magic, secret societies, savage baths. These are becoming familiar fare for the people of England. Over the past two weeks it has become increasingly evident that the Mau Mau uprising in Kenya is neither a movement for African independence nor a distinctly anti-British rebellion.

It has taken on the deliberate character of an attempt on the part of native terrorists to kill all the whites in the area, to murder those of their own tribes who do not subscribe to their methods, and to lead the Africans back to the bush. Since the terrible business began, the British Government and the white farmers in Kenya have been fighting a losing battle. As of now, only a declaration of a full state of emergency and war-time tactics can hope to stem the tide.

For many months Englishmen have read with increasing horror of the state of affairs which has swept like fire through this crown colony. Hundreds have had relatives and friends murdered under the most savage of onslaughts. The Governor General, the Kikuyu Home Guards, and even the British troops when finally sent there, all failed to make any headway against a spreading tide of unrest.

More and more of the natives assumed to be loyal to their white overseers deserted to Mau Mau. Terrorist bands took to the woods, appeared only at night to loot, and murder. While the British in the area itself demanded a greater measure of force on the part of the police, London and the Colonial Office talked about giving the African inhabitants more local independence. This it was believed would be a stop to a mass inferiority complex.

The military and political situation in Kenya became muddled. Rumors of secret rituals, oaths administered under duress and threats of death against native informers became mixed with charges by well-meaning Englishmen at home who insisted that cruel treatment on the part of British troops was causing much of the trouble. It was thus that a six-man delegation from Parliament went to Africa to investigate for themselves. They have returned this week and made their report public.

The commission has stated that Mau Mau must be seen for what it really is and must be separated from the various progressive economic and social movements that have sincerely tried to carry the African people forward. It is affirmed that Mau Mau is not a rebellion for liberation and does not spring from grievances although it does exploit unrest already there.

A member of this delegation told me that the oath takers do not murder for the sake of furthering some specific cause. "They kill," he said, "on being told to do so, whether it be part of their own family or some whites who have never done them harm."

The first condition of success is eradicating the evil, the report notes, is to replace in African minds the fear of vengeance by Mau Mau by a confidence in the ability of the British Government to protect life and property. Along these lines the London Chief of Police, the British Chief of Staff, and more troops have been dispatched to Kenya. The murders continue, but it is hoped that with increased vigor on the part of responsible officials, the strife may soon be quelled.

Bible Verse to Study

"Let judgment run down as waters, and righteousness as a mighty stream."

1. From what part of the Bible is the above statement taken?
2. Who is its author?
3. What was his role in the plan of God?
4. Where may this verse be found?

BIBLE VERSE ANSWERS:

1. In the Old Testament.
2. Amos.
3. A prophet of God, who warned the people that sin in their national life would be followed by a breakdown of individual honesty and justice—a stern warning for our times.
4. Amos 5:24.

Argentina cuts wheat price to hold Brazilian market.

France seeks ways to increase export trade.

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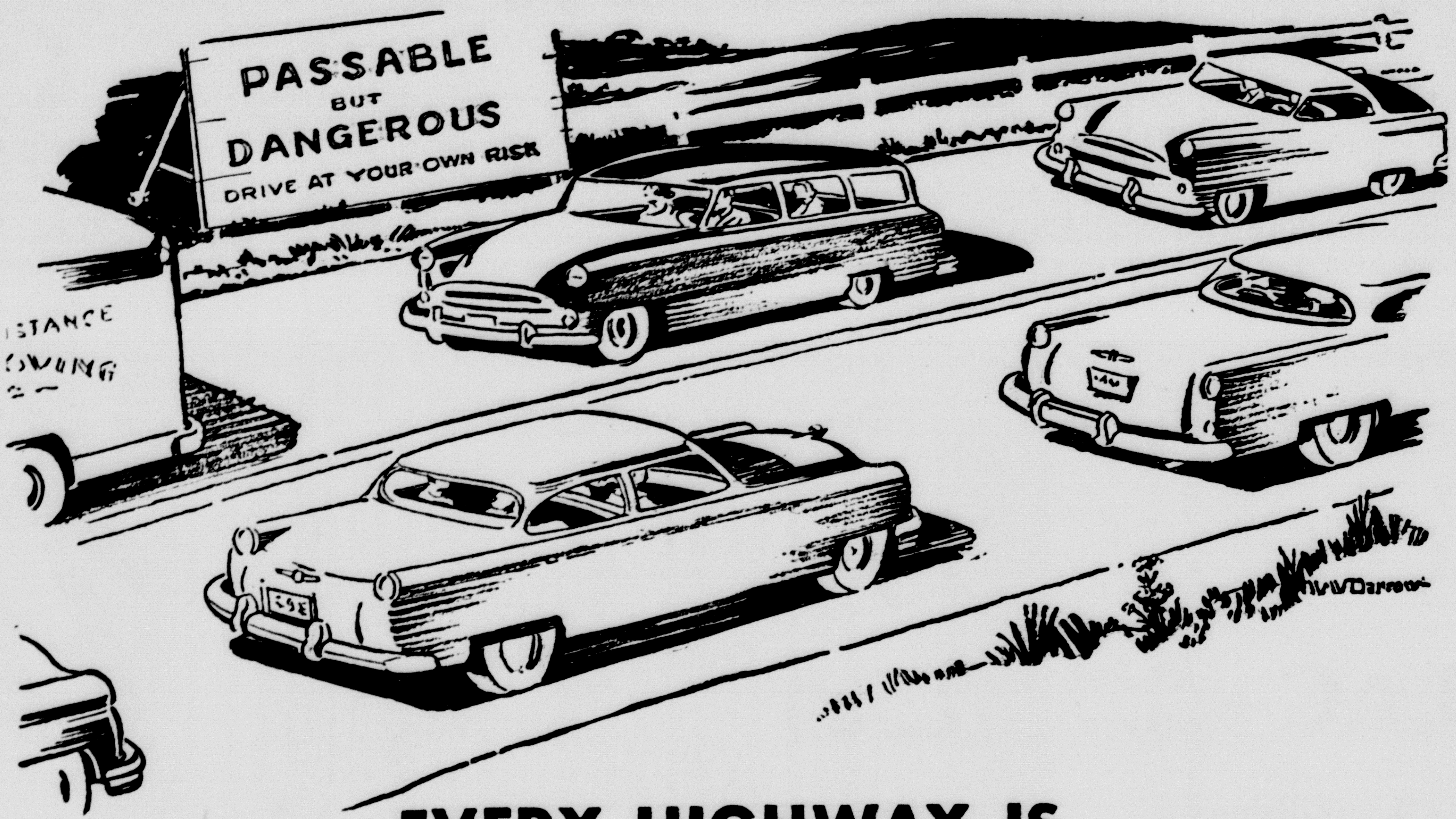


EVERY HIGHWAY IS "PASSABLE but DANGEROUS"

Such a warning is not alone for a road under construction or repair. It's any road—it's every road.

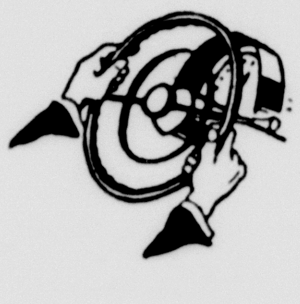
The "open road" is engineered for safety. Its curves, grades, over and under passes, and road markings are all designed for you to drive and live. But every road can be as safe or as dangerous as you and millions of other drivers make it. It's how you drive, how you respect road controls, speed limits, stop signs; how you think when you drive and how you use or misuse the courtesy of the road that determines the degree of safety or danger.

Since the end of the war, rural highway deaths have climbed until they account for three-quarters of the toll in dead and injured. In 1952, 28,200 deaths out of a total of 38,000!

Three of every four accidents occurred in clear weather on dry roads. Eighty percent of vehicles involved in fatal accidents were traveling straight ahead.

These are stark facts which put the terrific highway carnage straight up to the driver behind the wheel. A reckless, lawless attitude makes safe highways dangerous.

Ask yourself, honestly, "Am I a safe, or dangerous driver?"



SLOW DOWN—LIVES ARE IN YOUR HANDS!

Stevenson Investment Company

Randall Motor Company

Randall County Abstract Co.

Burow Lumber Company

Southwestern Public Service Co.

Whiteway Service Station

Thompson's

First National Bank

Buffalo Food Store

Cooper's Market

J. J. Walker Prescription Laboratory

Radio Appliance

West Texas Motor Co.

Lindsey Implement and Motor Company

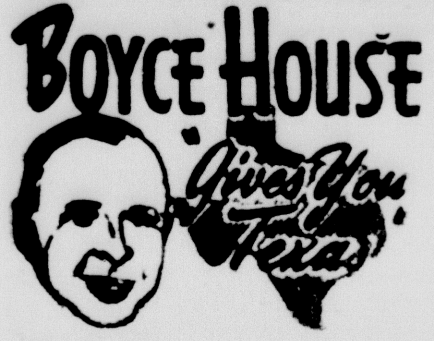
Warren's

Imperial Chevrolet Company

The Canyon News

Samuelson Motor Company

Cole & Moore



Frank Day is a veteran oil man of Eastland. He has lived in the county all his life. But, according to the story his friends have been telling, he came mighty close to having to move, recently.

Day made a location on a lease belonging to a friend and assured him, "I guarantee theres oil there —or I'll move out of the county."

The operator started drilling but, before getting very deep, lost the tools in the hole and, rather than have an expensive fishing job, he skidded the derrick six feet and started a new hole. The test proved to be dry so the operator, pretending to be serious, reminded Day of his promise. Frank was equal to the situation, though. He declared, "You didn't drill where I told you."

Dr. James Long, who led a filibustering expedition into Texas when Spain owned the territory, was a very brave man. After he had captured La Bahia (Goliad), he was besieged by the Spaniards and he offered to settle the issue by engaging in combat with any man they would select. The offer was declined.

Mystery surrounds the circumstances of Long's death in Mexico City. However, the historian, Brown, says that when Long was in Texas at the head of his filibustering expedition, one of his men tried to form a conspiracy against him. The man was tried, convicted and executed on Galveston island. He was the nephew of an influential politician of Mexico and in the City of Mexico where Long made friends rapidly, this man "soon manifested a jealous and hostile spirit." Long was shot to death by a soldier when Long's friends believed to have been an assassin hired by the politician.

Three Texans, including Ben Milam, hastened from Mexico City to intercept this man, who was on his way to Texas, with the intention of avenging Long's death but the plan was revealed to him and he had the three arrested and thrown in prison in Mexico City where they remained for 10 months before being freed through the intervention of the American envoy.

Studebaker's profits were down 82.1 per cent last year.

Speak For Democracy

By Elizabeth Ellen Evans

I am an American.
Listen to my words, Fascist, Communist.
Listen well, for my country is a strong country, and my message is a strong message.
I am an American, and I speak for democracy.
My ancestors have left their blood on the green at Lexington and the snow at Valley Forge
. . . on the walls of Fort Sumter and the fields at Gettysburg
. . . on the waters of the River Marne and in the shadows of the Argonne Forest
. . . on the beachheads of Salerno and Normandy and the sands of Okinawa
. . . on the bare, bleak hills called Pork Chop and Old Baldy and Heartbreak Ridge.
A million and more of my countrymen have died for freedom.
My country is their eternal monument.
They live on in the laughter of a small boy as he watches a circus clown's antics
. . . and in the sweet, delicious coldness of the first bite of peppermint ice cream on the Fourth of July
. . . in the little tenseness of a baseball crowd as the umpire calls "Batter up!"
. . . and in the high school band's rendition of "Stars and Stripes Forever" in the Memorial Day parade
. . . in the clear, sharp ring of a school bell on a fall morning
. . . and in the triumph of a six-year-old as he reads aloud for the first time.
They live on in the eyes of an Ohio farmer surveying his acres of corn and potatoes and pasture
. . . and in the brilliant gold of hundreds of acres of wheat stretching across the flat miles of Kansas
. . . in the milling of cattle in the stockyards of Chicago
. . . the precision of an assembly line in an automobile factory in Detroit
. . . and the perpetual red glow of the nocturnal skylines of Pittsburgh and Birmingham and Gary.
They live on in the voice of a young Jewish boy saying the sacred words from the Torah: "Hear O Israel: the Lord our God, the Lord is One. Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart and with all thy soul and with all thy might."
. . . and in the voice of a Catholic girl praying: "Hail, Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee . . ."
. . . and in the voice of a Protestant boy singing: "A mighty Fortress is our God, A Bulwark never failing . . ."
An American named Carl Sandburg wrote these words:
"I know a Jew fishcrier down on Maxwell Street with a voice like a north wind blowing over corn stubble in January.
He dangles herring before prospective customers evincing a joy identical with that of Pavlova dancing.
His face is that of a man terribly glad to be selling fish, terribly glad that God made fish, and customers to whom he may call his wares from a pushcart."
There is a voice in the soul of every human being that cries out to be free. America has answered that voice.
America has offered freedom and opportunity such as no land before her has ever known, to a Jew fishcrier on Maxwell Street with the face of a man terribly glad to be selling fish. She has given him the right to own his pushcart, to sell his herring on Maxwell Street,
. . . she has given him an education for his children, and a tremendous faith in the nation that has made these things his.
Multiply that fishcrier by 160,000,000—160,000,000 mechanics and farmers and housewives and coal miners and truck drivers and chemists and lawyers and plumbers and priests — all glad, terribly glad to be what they are, terribly glad to be free to work and eat and sleep and speak and love and pray and live as they desire, as they believe!
And those 160,000,000 Americans — those 160,000,000 free Americans — have more roast beef and mashed potatoes,
the yield of American labor and land;
. . . more automobiles and telephones,
. . . more safety razors and bathtubs,
. . . more Orlon sweaters and aureomycin,
the fruits of American initiative and enterprise;
. . . more public schools and life insurance policies,
the symbols of American security and faith in the future;
. . . more laughter and song—
than any other people on earth!
This is my answer, Fascist, Communist!
Show me a country greater than our country, show me a people more energetic, creative, progressive— bigger-hearted and happier than our people, not until then will I consider your way of life.
For I am an American, and I speak for democracy.

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SURE WOULD

A man who had run out of gas on the outskirts of a country town saw a boy coming along the road carrying a big tin can.

"I hope that's gasoline in that can."

"I hope it ain't," returned the boy. "It would taste pretty punk on ma's pancakes."

Highway Deaths Show Decline

AUSTIN: The 1953 highway traffic death book for Texas was officially closed, according to Homer Garrison, Jr., director of the Texas Department of Public Safety.

Final figures for last year disclose that 2,368 persons lost their lives in motor vehicle traffic accidents during the period. This is a 5.2% decrease over 1952 when 130 more persons died than during 1953.

Garrison said that this reduction gave the state a 6.4 death rate— the lowest in the history of accident analysis in Texas. The death rate is figured on the basis of the number of fatalities per each 100 million motor vehicle miles traveled.

"We are gratified by the 1953 record and the continuing decline in the death rate," Garrison said. He pointed out that less people were traffic fatalities last year in spite of the fact that motorists racked up nearly 1½ billion more miles of travel than during the preceding 12 months.

Total number of injuries dropped also—to 110,097—which was 2,871 below the number for 1952. The economic loss declined by more than $5 million—to a total of $148,958,000 for the year.

Even the total number of accidents decreased, too. The final figures showed 233,176 traffic mishaps—some 5,000 less than for 1952.

December again proved to be the most deadly month of the year according to the DPS statistical report, accounting for 258 of the traffic fatalities. August was next with 233.

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Garrison said that he attributed the reduction in accidents and fatalities last year to a combination of factors. "Among them," he said, "is an apparently increasing awareness on the part of the public to the traffic menace, induced by a more active educational program on the part of safety and civic groups; a higher performance on the part of law enforcement; and a more well-rounded safety program made possible by the enactment of motor vehicle inspection and safety responsibility legislation."

SOME BARK

It is the very merit of the death penalty that its bark is worse than its bite.

WHEW!

"Did you know your wife very long before you married her?"

"Oh, yes, I've known her since we were the same age."

NEW-DELICIOUS
Ellis
NOODLES N' BEEF

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: BESSIE SHANKS, Defendant, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable 47th District Court of Randall County at the Courthouse thereof, in Canyon, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 19th day of April A. D. 1954, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 18th day of February A. D. 1954, in this cause, numbered 2716 on the docket of said court and styled FRED SHANKS, Plaintiff, vs. BESSIE SHANKS, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Suit for divorce because of cruel treatment of defendant toward plaintiff; no property or children involved, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said court at Canyon, Texas, this the 1st day of March A. D. 1954.

Attest: ETHEL MULLINS Clerk, District Court Randall County, Texas.
(SEAL) 48t4

What Was This Call Worth?

"Mommy, can I stay at grandmother's tonight?" That was little Carol's very first telephone call — a real thrill that can hardly be measured in dollars and cents. Yet, Mrs. Caroline Niemeyer, Carol's grandmother, can tell you what that call cost. She is one of a group of customers who kept day-by-day records of calls made for a week — a total of 30 calls covering 133 miles. Then she broke her telephone bill down into the actual cost per call. "I was amazed," she reported, "at how little my telephone service cost for all the convenience and happiness it delivers." SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY . . . A TEAM OF 27,000 TEXAS TELEPHONE PEOPLE . . . AT YOUR SERVICE.

INSURANCE NEEDS CHANGE FROM YEAR TO YEAR

If you haven't reviewed your Insurance for some time, now is the time to do so. You may find that your coverage is not as complete as you would like. In any case, call us for an insurance invenory, soon. No obligation, of course.

STEVENSON-BLACKWELL INSURANCE COMPANY
West Side of Square Phone 5-3188
INSURE! BE SURE!

News In Canyon 25 Years Ago

(Taken from the files of The Canyon News of April 4, 1929)

300 citizens have applied for irrigation rates in Canyon for the summer.

Eight names will be printed on the tickets for the school board election to be held Saturday, as follows: R. O. Allison, W. E. Lockhart, W. H. Stroud, Dan F. Sanders, R. E. Ball, Alfred Bellah, Wm. Schmitz, Albert Barnett.

Rotary Club members from 16 towns will meet in Canyon for the first inter-city meeting April 23.

Mrs. E. A. Rusk died following a week's illness with pneumonia.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Redfearn.

Ernest O. Thompson was elected mayor of Amarillo for his first term.

MODESTY FORBIDS

Doctor — The best thing for you to do is to give up drinking and smoking, get up early every morning and go to bed early every night.

Patient — Somehow, doctor, I don't deserve the best. What's second best?

Bernard M. Baruch, retired industrialist: "All men cannot be masters, but none need be a slave."

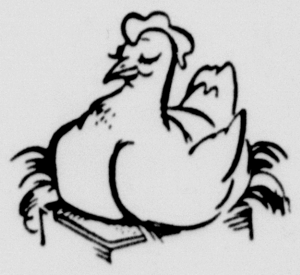
To Relieve Misery of COLDS take 666
LIQUID OR TABLETS—SAME FAST RELIEF

President Eisenhower nominated Assistant Defense Secretary Thomas to be Secretary of the Navy.

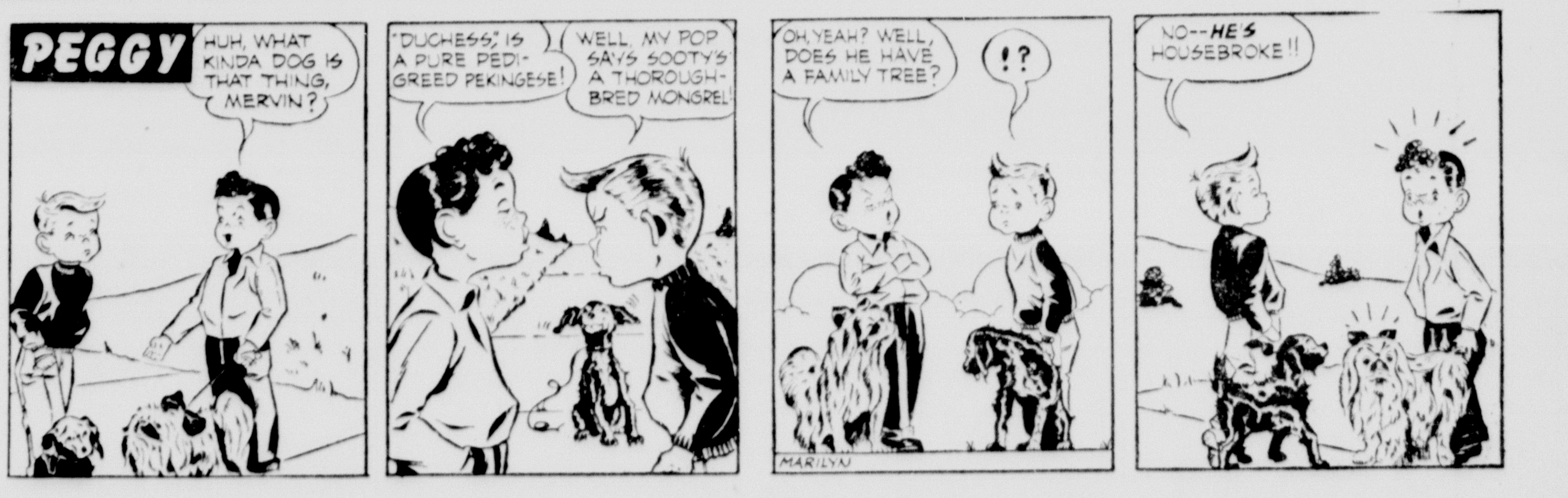
Radiator Shop—New Location
One-half east; one-half block south of old location
Every Type Radiator Repairing
Complete line of Radiators for Cars, Trucks, Tractors
MILLER RADIATOR SERVICE
Distributors for Harrison and Stuart
612 Jefferson AMARILLO Phone 6-6666
"Most Modern Radiator Shop in the Southwest"
No Side Lines

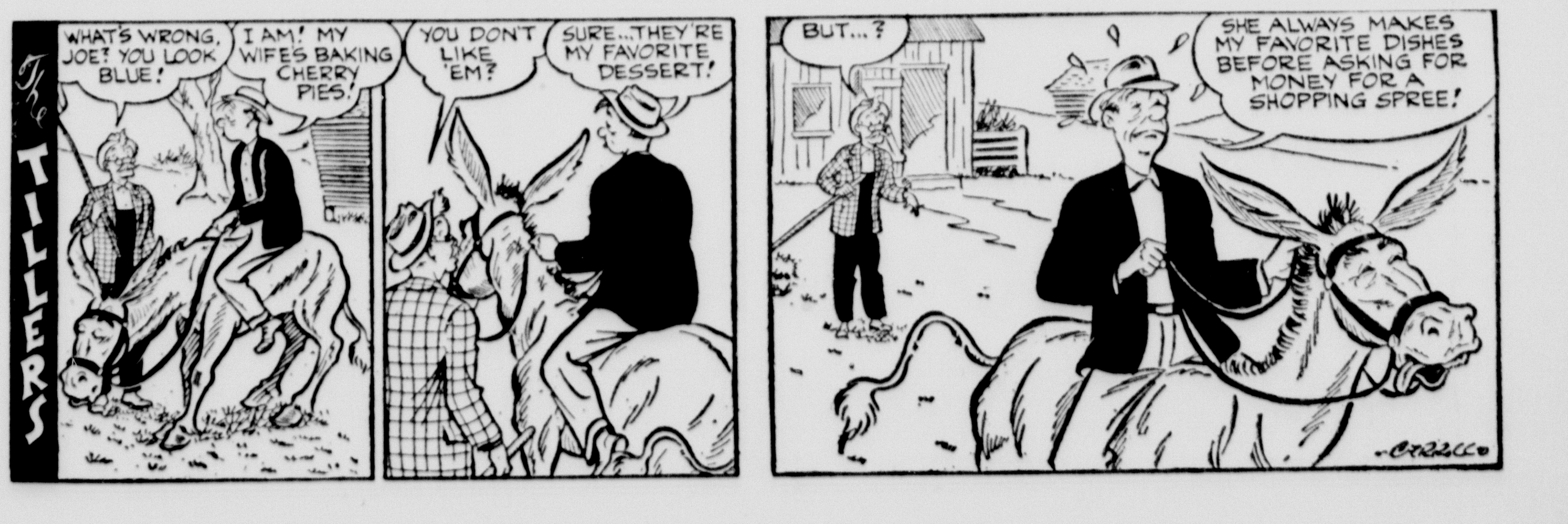
START A Nest Egg—

Deeply rooted in the old fashioned virtues of the past . . . with a direct bearing on the success of your future . . . is the idea of "starting a nest egg." The modern version of a "nest egg" is, of course, your bank account . . growing steadily to dreams-come-true size via regular deposits from your earnings. Why not start your own "nest egg" here today?



First National Bank
Member Federal Reserve System — Federal Deposit Insurance Corp.
Deposits Insured Up to $10,000.00


PEGGY
HUH, WHAT KINDA DOG IS THAT THING, MERVIN?
"DUCHESS" IS A PURE PEDIGREED PEKINGESE!
WELL, MY POP SAYS SOOTY'S A THOROUGHBRED MONGREL!
OH, YEAH? WELL, DOES HE HAVE A FAMILY TREE?
!?
NO--HE'S HOUSEBROKE!!
MARILYN


The TILLERS
WHAT'S WRONG, JOE? YOU LOOK BLUE!
I AM! MY WIFE'S BAKING CHERRY PIES!
YOU DON'T LIKE 'EM?
SURE...THEY'RE MY FAVORITE DESSERT!
BUT...?
SHE ALWAYS MAKES MY FAVORITE DISHES BEFORE ASKING FOR MONEY FOR A SHOPPING SPREE!

SAVE THE DIFFERENCE **THE BUFFAL FOOD STORE**

Buffalo Food Park
Lot in Rear
Use Rear Entrance
to Store.

SPECIALS FOR THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY, APRIL 1-2-3 —WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO LIMIT QUANTITIES

STEAKS LOIN OR ROUND CHOICE BABY BEEF—LB 57

RISTIAN URCH OLLEGE TUDENTS **BAKE SALE** SATURDAY APRIL 3

SEAL PACK BEST VALUE BACON, Sliced . . . 59¢
PROCESSED AMERICAN CHEESE, lb. . . . . 43¢
CENTER CUT PORK CHOPS, lb. . 59¢
PUFFIN BISCUITS, 2 Cans . . 25¢
REEN PASCAL CELERY, lb. . . . . 7½¢
EDIUM SIZE SUNKIST ORANGES, 2 lb. . . 19¢
ARKANSAS BLACK APPLES, 2 lb. . . . 25¢
FIRM HEADS LETTUCE, lb. . . . . 12¢

ICE CREAM GOLD BAR DESSERT ½ Gallon 49

ONIONS YELLOW SPANISH SWEET — lb. 2c

STOKELY'S FROZEN CUT BROCCOLI, Pkg. 17¢
GRO PUP RIBBONS DOG FOOD, 25 oz. . 35¢
6 BOTTLE CARTON PLUS DEPOSIT COCA COLA . . . . 25¢
VAN CAMP TUNA, Can . . . . . 25¢
WHITE SWAN 46 OZ. CAN GRAPEFRUIT JUICE . 21¢
CAMPBELL'S TOMATO SOUP, 2 Cans . . . 21¢
GERBERS BABY FOOD, 3 Cans 25¢
SUNSPUN SOUR OR DILL PICKLES, Qt. . . . 27¢

PEACHES WHITE SWAN No. 2½ Can 25c

DOTTIE'S QUICKIE FROZEN COOKIES 3 PKGS. $1.00

Winning Posters To Be Displayed

Some of the prize winning fire prevention art posters from Canyon public schools will be exhibited soon in the window of Cole and Davis Insurance Co., 1604 Fourth Avenue. Miss Claudia Neelley, head of the art department in the Canyon High School, said the winners were chosen on the basis of originality of idea and pertinence to subject matter. Miss Isabelle Robinson, head of the art department at West Texas State College, and Charles Donnell, local theater manager, were the judges.

Miss Neelley said the posters were merely a manner of saying something simply and concisely. She said contrast was sought in the posters and that dark against light or light against dull colors made the best posters. In addition to saying the message simply you also emphasize it with the picture, Miss Neelley said, and she added that eve nthe picture should be simple.

There were four winners picked in each category of high school, junior high school, and Canyon Grade School. First prize was $2, second $1.50, and third and fourth prizes were $1 each.

High school winner of first prize was Virginia Walker, ninth grade student. Second prize went to George Alexander, ninth grade, and third and fourth places were won by Jerry Martin and Don Ray, respectively.

Junior high winner was Mayla Atkinson, seventh grade; second, Velma Frank, seventh grade; third, Dean Loven; fourth, Melba Gibson.

Grade school winners were Judy Frank, first, second grade; Jan Jennings, second, second grade; third, Frank Davis; fourth, J. G. Wells.

One poster from each of the groups will be sent to the state fire prevention poster contest. The others are to be shown at the spring art show to be held May 7-8.

This year will be the third time the art show has been held. More than 1,000 people attended the show last spring. This year the total number of visitors is expected to exceed this number.

5,000 New Brochures

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someone with little time to spend can look at the brochure and become familiar with Canyon's attractions in a few moments.

New brochures will be mailed out and placed in motels and service stations where the tourist can easily pick them up.

The News printed the new literature.

Carl Michell of New Haven, Conn., is visiting this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Michell.

Your Invitation to Beauty!

for one week only . . . a FREE
DuBARRY Make-Up Lesson
with a DuBarry Beauty Expert direct from
Richard Hudnut
Fifth Avenue Salon!

When you treat yourself to a *free* DuBarry Make-Up Lesson, you'll learn new loveliness, new fashions and techniques in make-up!

MISS RUTH FIOCK, well-known Beauty Expert direct from New York's Richard Hudnut Beauty Salon will teach you professional beauty secrets, quick glamour tricks . . . all easy, all fun! Remember: she'll be here one week only . . . so call immediately for your private appointment!

And—she'll have a beauty-gift for you when you come in!

CANYON DRUG

North Side of Square   Phone 5-2116

BSU Names New Officers Year

New officers of the Baptist Student Union at West Texas State College have been elected for the 1954-55 session and were installed formally in ceremonies Sunday afternoon.

New president is Duane Barrett, Canyon. Other officers are Freddie Donaldson Canadian, and Sonny Shackelford, Levelland, enlistment vice-presidents; Frances Cunningham, Canyon, devotional vice-president; Betty Norman, Pampa, social vice-president; Hazel Smirl, Borger, secretary; Raymond Broome, Kellerville, treasurer.

James Scott, Borger, Sunday School, representative; Laura Smith, Canyon, Training Union representative; Marshall Jones, Canyon, music chairman; Joe Snyder, Pampa, missions; Sarah Pittman, Amarillo, and Ray Graham, Hereford, co-chairmen publicity; Claranell Brown, Childress, and Wanda Block, Dumas, co-editors B.S.U. paper; Martha Johnson Smyer, Y.W.A. president; Terry Smith, Amarillo Life Service Band president; and Gene Peggram, Quail, Brotherhood president.

Bowling League Lead Unchanged

There were no changes in the team standings as a result of last of last Thursday night's play in Business Men's Bowling League. Foster's Insurance moved farther out front by winning three out of four games from Sternenberg Lumber Company. City Barber Shop tightened up and held Johnson's Texaco to a two-two deadlock.

Standings are:	Won	Lost
Foster's Insurance	29½	18½
Sternenberg Lbr. Co.	24	24
Johnson's Texaco	23½	24½
City Barber Shop	19	29

Individual scoring:

City Barber Shop won two: Zachry 446, Schmidt 349, Porter 333, Collinsworth 428, Nickell 486.

Johnson's Texaco won two: Higgins 476, Mickey 431, Stark 422, Johnson 331, Evans 475.

Sternenberg Lumber Company won one: M. Bednorz 447, Walker 336, E. Bednorz 498, Bosley 502, Sorgee 528.

Foster's Insurance won three: McDonald 535, Kiker 339, Culwell 437, London 435, Carter 575.

Next week Foster's Insurance will meet Johnson's Texaco and Sternenberg Lumber Company will meet City Barber Shop.

In the Metropolitan League in Amarillo the Canyon Bowling Alley managed to hold its first place position by defeating Southwestern Drug Corporation, two out of four games: Childers 541, Mickey 381, Bosley 485, Nickell 465, Sorgee 501. This week they play Lone Star Packard Company.

Music Contests . . .

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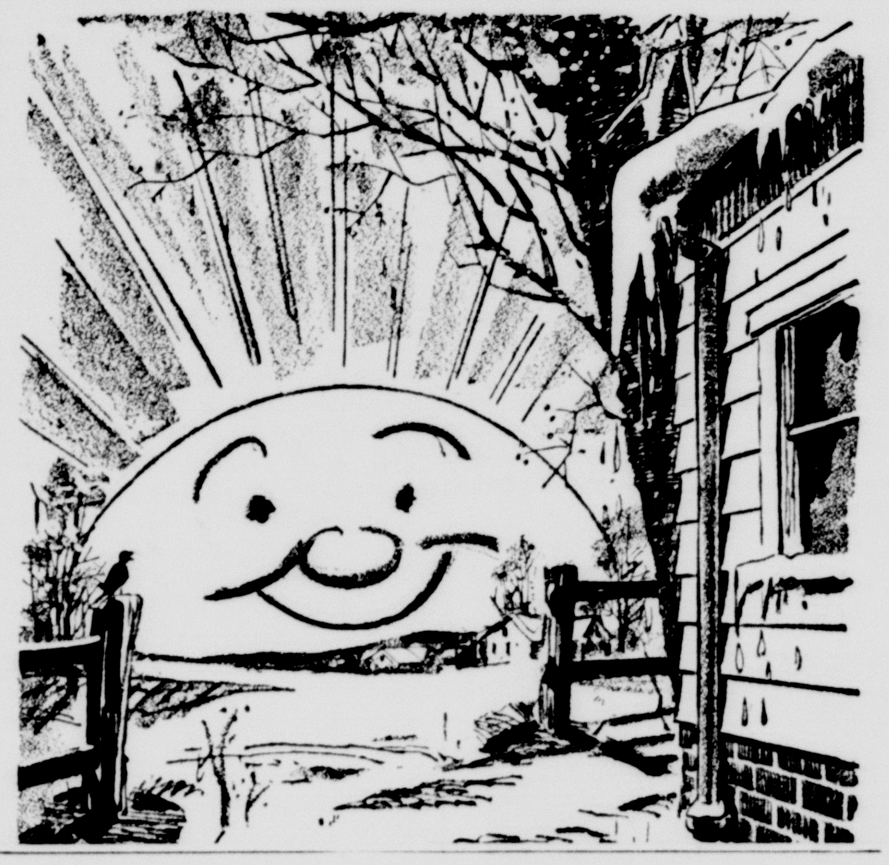
choral organizations, 97 vocal soloists, and 30 vocal ensembles will participate.

Final Region XI Interscholastic League competition is on April 22-23, when about 3,000 band and orchestra members, twirlers, and student conductors compete in the annual instrumental music contests.

Help Keep Canyon Clean!

Spring Smiles Goodby to Winter



STORE SALES DIP

For a four-week period, ended March 13, department store sales, were six per cent under those of the corresponding period of 1953 and, for the January 1 - March 13 period three per cent under those of a year earlier, according to the Federal Reserve Board. Some of the lag in sales is believed to be caused by the late Easter this year.

EXPERIENCED FIRE CHIEF

Edenton, N. C. — Edenton has what it believes to be the oldest active fire chief in America in the person of Captain Dick Hall, 88. Capt. Hall remembers when he had had to pay to belong to the volunteer fire department and when manpower supplied the horsepower in pulling the fire cart.

Nearly all cities and all industries through the country have felt the impact of growing unemployment.

The United States is turning out a new deadly gas.

FARM PLANTINGS

The Agriculture Department has reported that a survey taken on March 1 indicated that the acreage planted to crops this year may be down less than one per cent from a year ago even though storage facilities are crowded with the largest farm surplus in history. Under crop-control programs, set up by the department, farmers had been urged to divert upward of 25 million acres to noncrop uses, such as grasses and soil-building legumes.

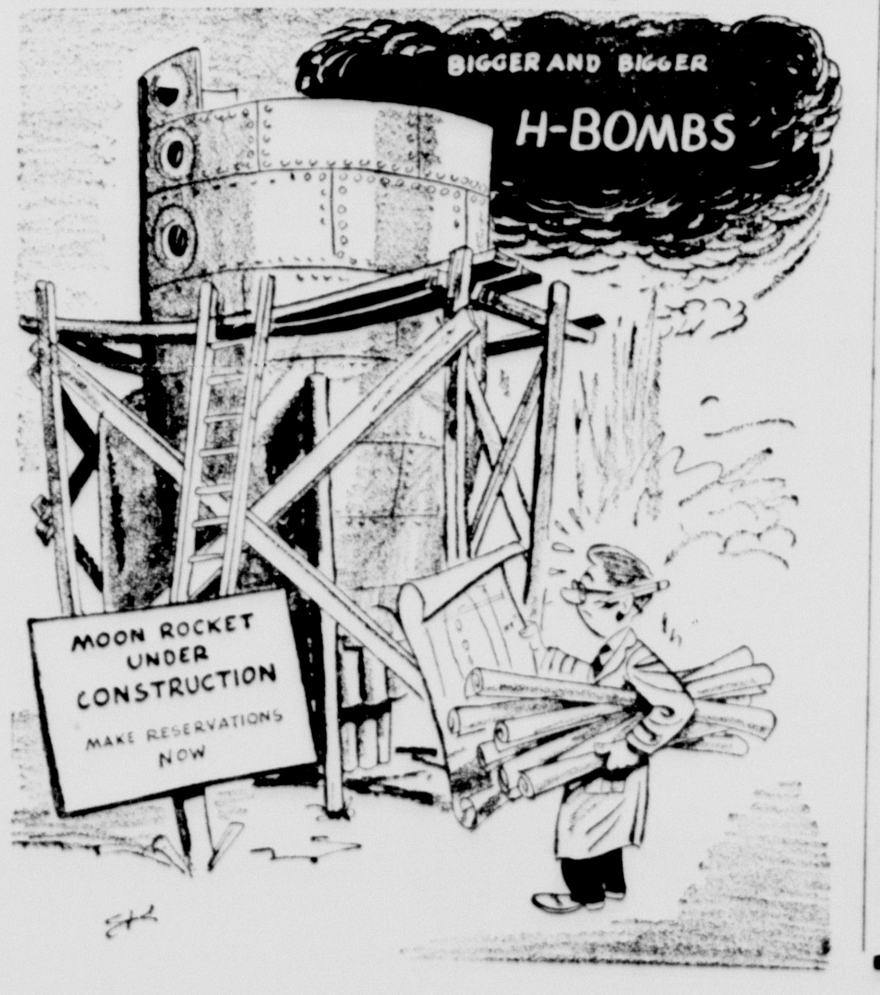
UNEMPLOYMENT

Joblessness has continued to increase, and, by mid-March, was being felt in almost all the nation's major industrial areas, according to the Labor Department. The Census Bureau's most recent unemployment count was 3,671,000 for February.

Britain launches the 22,000 ton Saxonia for Canada.

Save the soil—Save soil.

He'd Better Hurry



W. T. Librarians . . .

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er, district agent for Texas A & M College extension work; and Grace Scott, Tulia High School librarian and chairman of the schools division of the association.

Other speakers are John Rodell, Houston, chairman of the association's committee on library development; Rabbi Levi A. Olin, Temple Emanuel, Dallas, speaking on "The Library and Censorship;" and Francis St. John, chief librarian of the Brooklyn Public Library.

President Eisenhower said that if employment did not rise in March he would heed the warning and act. One step might be tax cuts to increase consumer buying power.

Buy, Build, Live in Canyon!

VARSITY
DIAL 5-2197

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY
IDA LUPINO
—IN—
"JENNIFER"
2 FOR 51c

THURSDAY - FRIDAY
ALAN LADD
—IN—
'PARATROOPER'

SAT. - SUN. - MON.
CHARLTON
HESTON
ELEANOR
PARKER
—IN—
"THE NAKED JUNGLE"
IN TECHNICOLOR

TUES. - WED.
VICTOR MATURE
—IN—
"Veils of Bagdad"
IN TECHNICOLOR
ADM. 2 FOR 51c

OLYMPIC

SATURDAY ONLY
HAL WALLIS
"CEASE FIRE"
IN TECHNICOLOR
TRUE FEATURE
OF GI's IN KOREA
ALSO
SPECIAL SHORTS
ADM. 14 - 40c

Dietz Hands Out Dividend Checks

Pictured above is G. A. Dietz, president of the Randall County Farm Bureau, presenting the first 50% dividends from the Farm Bureau Automobile Insurance services to the following Farm Bureau members: W. S. McCraw of Wildorado, E. E. Plank, Canyon and Pampa, Mrs. Elmer Winters of Rt. 4, Amarillo, and Clifford Burtz of Canyon.

Other members not present who also received 50% dividends were H. F. Ratjen and H. C. Bryan of Happy. Other members of the picture are T. J. Myers, Southern Farm Bureau insurance agent, and Mrs. Eutha Hamblen, office secretary.

Dietz said the company announced the new dividend effective April 1, and that other members would receive their dividends as their policies came up for renewals. The president added that there would be about 430 farmers and ranchers in the county sharing in the $1,700,000 set aside for Texas Farm Bureau Automobile insurance carriers during the next 12 months.

"This dividend announcement is good news to members as never before has a legal reserve stock insurance company ever returned such high dividends in Texas to my knowledge," Dietz said.

The other Farm Bureau insurance services include legal reserve life, polio, farmers comprehensive personal liability, equipment floater, and fire insurance. "Policy holders of these programs are also receiving large dividends," Dietz concluded.

Wortham-Phipps Marriage Revealed

A dinner honoring the marriage of June Wortham, daughter of Mrs. Lee Wortham of this city, to Olin Phipps, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Phipps of Amarillo, was held Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Morrison, 810 14th St.

Announcement was made on a heart-shaped cake mounted on a crystal cake stand bearing the inscription "June and Olin March 20." The bride and groom's table was covered with a white chiffon cloth embroidered with white satin roses, imported from the Sedatunland of Czechoslovakia.

The table was centered with a picturesque bride doll flanked by white tapers in crystal holders. Covers were laid at the honored couple's table for Mrs. Lee Wortham, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Phipps, Ada Glynn Wortham, sister of the bride, and the honorees.

Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Knox and Henry, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Brasher, Kenneth and Robert, of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Brasher, Carolyn and Jimmie Brasher, Mrs. Gordon Williams and Diane, and the host and hostess.

'GOOD OLD DAYS' MAKE TOPIC FOR EDGETOWN H. D. CLUB

The Edgetown Home Demonstration Club met Friday, March 26, in the home of Mrs. Chas. Stratton with nine members present.

Opening exercises were two games. Members answered roll call by telling some interesting fact about the place of their births. Appointment of the yearbook committee was completed by the naming of Polly Avent, Grace Knighton and Melba Fisher.

For the program, everyone had brought an antique and the "good old days" were discussed.

Refreshments were served to Tennie Dora McAtee, Florence Hacker, Polly Avent, Mary Jo Robinson, Grace Knighton, Melba Fisher, Shirley Lehnick, W. H. Sparks and the hostess.

The next meeting will be a dinner in the home of Mrs. Jeannette Robbins on April 9 at 11:30 a. m. Each member is requested to bring a salad or dessert.

PALO DURO-RUSK H. D. CLUB HELD MEETING

The Palo Duro-Rusk Home Demonstration held its regular meeting Tuesday, March 23, with Mrs. Dick Lowrey as hostess.

The president welcomed four guests. Meeting was opened with group singing. Roll call was answered by 12 members. Minutes were read and approved.

Mrs. Charles Conatser gave the finance report. Mrs. Bert Northcutt reported satisfactory returns on cake mix sales. Seven members made reservations to attend district meeting. Miss Patterson gave a demonstration on "Backgrounds for the living room."

Mrs. Reitz won the door prize.

Refreshments were served to guests, Mesdames McCartt of Amarillo, Cox and daughter, Dawson and baby of the community, and Miss Patterson, county agent, and 12 members including the hostess.

Next meeting will be April 13 with Mrs. Douglas Marshall.

Local Church To Be Seen on TV Sunday Morning

The Central Church of Christ, Fourth Avenue and 21st Street, will conduct services next Sunday in KGNC-TV studio, 2200 North Polk, in Amarillo, from 11 to 12 noon. The services will be televised as a live program, and can be seen at that time on Channel 4.

Joe Watson, local minister, will preach. The congregational singing will be directed by James B. Roberts. In all respects it will be the customary Sunday service. A number of the members and friends will be the studio audience.

The regular services will also be conducted at the church's building, Fourth Avenue at 21st Street, next Sunday, with Bible study at 10:00 a. m. and worship at 10:45. You are invited to attend the services here, or if you wish, come up to the TV studio or watch it on your set if unable to attend, states Joe Watson, local preacher.

Umbarger News

Mrs. Lester Wagner and children from Hereford were Sunday visitors in the Lewie Raef home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Heymer and family and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kleuskens and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Max Hoffman.

Margaret, Gladys, and Catherine Westhoff were visitors of Mrs. Mary Wieck.

Mrs. Leonard Batenhorst and family were visitors in the Raymond Batenhorst home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gerber and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gerber and family and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Gerber visited in the Bill Gerber home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Artho and family and Mrs. Eddie Wieck and family visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Wieck.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Friemel and family were dinner guests in the Lee Rasche home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Richardson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Brandt.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Friemel and family visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cadman of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Brockman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Wilhelm and family, Mr. and Mrs. Florence Albracht, all of Nazareth, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Artho and family, and Mr. and Mrs. George Brockman were guests in the Matt Albracht home.

Exchanging visits were: Tommy Raef with Willie Wieck, Ed Grabber with Joe Mike Albracht, Velma Jo Frank with Deanne Stocker, Marvin Batenhorst with Johnny Batenhorst, Judy Batenhorst with Dianna Batenhorst, Larry Friemel with Kenneth Friemel, Stevie Wieck with Mike Raef.

EXCLUSIVE!

Unconfirmed reports have it that one gentleman north of Umbarger was forced to apply pontoons to his Whiteface bull, Ezzra, because of the flood condition. Other farmers have not taken this step; as they are expecting "disaster relief" from the U. S. Coast Guard.

JIMMIE ADAMS HEADS 4-H CLUB

The Wayside boys 4-H Club met Tuesday, March 9. A moving picture was shown on how to keep livestock healthy.

New officers were elected as follows: Jimmie Adams, president; Darral Watson, vice-president; Leslie Adams, secretary-treasurer; Robert Kennedy, reporter. Five new members joined the club. They were Donald Lee, Tommy Lee, Jerry Lee, and John Cummins, and Sam Cummins. There are now 16 members in the club.

'Tis strange—but true; for truth is always strange—stranger than fiction. —Bryon.

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Women's Clubs Hear Miss Anthony Speak About Life at Girlstown U.S.A.

"Girlstown U.S.A. exists to give neglected girls an opportunity to grow up in a good home where they will have security and love and learn to study, to work, to take responsibility, and to submit themselves to self-discipline," said Miss Amelia Anthony in speaking affectionately of the 76 daughters who are now living in Girlstown. She explained that Girlstown was five years old March 13.

Miss Anthony was the guest of the Woman's Book Club, the Sue Hite Club, and the Junior Woman's Book Club. Upon arrival she was presented a corsage in which there was much green. This green was artfully arranged bills which will go into the building fund for Girlstown.

Miss Anthony stated that every girl who is over 12 must make her own clothes and do her own laundry. Each girl learns to cook and all give one-tenth of their small allowance to the church of their choice. "How else," asked Miss Anthony, "can a girl be prepared to be a good wife, a good mother, and a Christian citizen."

Average age of the 76 daughters is 15 but the youngest is 20 months and the eldest is 19 years old. Those of school age attend the public school at Whiteface and when they graduate from high school they will be helped to go to vocational school or college.

On the ranch which is Girlstown there are cattle, pigs, chickens, and rabbits. There is also a young orchard, a garden and the girls do all the work under "supervisors" whom they affectionately call "aunts."

As she and the club members entered the Blue Room of the college cafeteria, they saw the speaker's table centered with an arrangement of soft gray pussywillows and yellow daffodils, smaller arrangements of daffodils appeared at intervals on the tables giving an air of spring which even the blowing sand outside could not dispel.

Miss Edna Graham, president of the Woman's Book Club, presided and introduced Mrs. E. R. Reeves, president of the Sue Hite Club, who later introduced the guest speaker, and Mrs. J. Murphy White, vice-president of the Junior Woman's Book Club.

Arrangements had been made by a committee headed by Mrs. M. J. Newman with Mesdames J. Murphy White, Tom Lair, Clyde McElroy, J. O. Parker, and R. A. Neblett as members. The chairmen from each of the three clubs were Mrs. Tom Gooch, Mrs. Hatcher Brown, and Mrs. Joe Byrd, with Mrs. Byrd giving the invocation.

Before Miss Anthony was introduced Mrs. W. R. Wilson sang "Romany Life" from "The Fortune Teller" and an arrangement of A. A. Milne's poem, "In the Fashion." Mrs. Lee Foster was her accompanist.

In order that everyone might know each other, each woman present introduced herself. Place cards indicated that the following women of Canyon attended: Mesdames Bob Bellah, Alfred Bellah, J. E. Bowden, Hatcher Brown, C. R. Burrow, R. C. Busteed, Eugene Bonds, Walton Byrd, Roy Byrd, Jr., Joe Byrd, Emilio Caballero, Levi Cole, Clay Cooper, Wesley Cox, James P. Cornette, T. V. Crounse, S. H. Condron, Albert Craig.

And Mesdames H. E. Campfield, Gene Davis, L. A. Donnell, C. M. Dowlen, Harold Erwin, Kenneth Erwin, Lon Fanning, D. M. Foster, Lee Foster, Dennis Ford, Lige Frieze, H. R. Fulton, Joe Gibson, W. T. Graham, Tom C. Gooch, W. F. Haggard, Richmond Hales, J. A. Hill, Crews Henry, J. S. Humphreys, Virgil Henson, Robert P. Jarrett, Jr., Lee Johnson, Frank Kimbrough, T. H. Knighton, J. W. Kleinschmidt.

Mesdames Lair, Luther Lawless, Bill Lee, T. B. McCarter, Nancy McCaslin, C. B. McClure, McElroy, Gene McGlasson, M. B. Measamer, W. A. Miller, W. E. Miller, Frank Morgan, Michael Morris, C. A. Murray, Neblett, Newman, Parker, Hud Prichard, Rex Reeves, T. V. Reeves, J. B. Seal, Jr., Burney Slack, Irving SoRelle, Jack Taylor, Crannell Tolliver, Clyde W. Warwick, R. D. Wheelock, Wilson, W. J. Wooten, Jr., and White, and Misses Elva Fronabarger, Graham, and Darthula Walker.

Latin American Stresses Need For Understanding

Theme of the meeting of Pi Chapter, Delta Kappa Gamma, held in Canyon on March 20 was Latin American.

Mrs. Ples Harper discussed the development of South American Music, emphasizing its reflection of the life and spirit of the people. Miss Ann Holt, Miss Dorothy Neblett, and Mrs. Harper each played typical selections. Ima Sumac, a Peruvian Indian singer, was heard on recordings showing both the true Peruvian style and the American version of Indian music.

Dr. Antonia Victoria Ramos Kaneen, a native of Mexico City, spoke on "The Role of South American Women in World Peace." Dr. Kaneen, presently residing in Amarillo, spoke from a rich background of Latin American culture and with deep sincerity and earnestness. She told of the very active role of many Latin American Women in the effort to promote world peace.

She placed greatest emphasis, however, on the need for understanding—not tolerance—but Understanding. She urged, "You above the border must show your real selves to your neighbors to the South, not your dollars, for never having had money, the Latin American cannot comprehend that, but the real you he can understand."

An exhibit of Latin American crafts furnished by Miss Darthula Walker, Miss Edna Graham, Mrs. Ed Harrell, and Mrs. Ples Harper lent color to the setting.

FHA PAYS OFF

The Federal Housing Administration which, in the past 20 years has insured the mortgages of million of home-buyers, has paid off the last of its debt to the U. S. Treasury, when FHA Commissioner Guy T. O. Hollyday handed over a check for $16,500,000 to Secretary of the Treasury Humphrey. This completed repayment of $65,500,000 advanced by the Treasury to FHA as operating capital and to establish insurance funds. The FHA has also paid the Treasury $20,400,000,000 on its debt at an interest rate of 2¼ per cent.

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Too Many Vitamins In Human Bodies

AUSTIN: "Hypervitaminosis is a long word meaning too many vitamins," says Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. The diseased condition probably was derived from the tendency of some persons to think that if a little bit does good a lot will do better. This is not the case in taking vitamins or medicines whether prescribed by a physician or taken on one's own initiative.

Millions of dollars are spent yearly in synthetic vitamin preparations by persons who mistakenly believe they will counteract careless eating habits or cure numerous ailments. Unless prescribed by a physician for a specific need, synthetic vitamin purchases are usually a waste of money.

Nutritionists have long urged that, except when prescribed by a physician, vitamins be secured from the grocery store in the form of green, leafy, and yellow vegetables and dairy products. This is the more beneficial and economical way of assuring an adequate intake of these necessary substances.

It has been established that Vitamen A and D taken in excessive amounts are harmful. Other excessive uses of vitamins have resulted in cases of vitamin toxicity. Excessive intake may be as dangerous as deficient intake. Take vitamins only when prescribed by a physician and only in the amount ordered by him.

CHRONIC VA PATIENTS

A census conducted by the Veterans Administration on January 31, 1953, showed that 51.7 per cent of the 104,820 patients in VA and non-VA hospitals with the VA footing the bill has been hospitalized more than a year and 66.5 per cent had been patients more than 90 days. World War I veterans made up 41.6 per cent of the average daily patient load, World War II veterans 46.7 per cent and others accounted for 11.7 per cent.

KNOCKS A POSSUM

Philadelphia, Pa. — Hearing a knock under the hood of his automobile, Robert Sachetti investigated and found there was nothing wrong with his car motor except maybe it was a little crowded for space. Nesting inside was a furry possum.

NUMBER TWO

"Let me see," said the minister who was filling out the marriage certificate and was uncertain as to the date, "this is the fifth, isn't it?"

"No, sir," returned the bride indignantly, "this is only my second."

WOULDN'T

"I'll tell you, Pat, my boy," the big man of the town confided, laying a patronizing hand on the young Irishman's shoulder, "I wish I had your tongue."

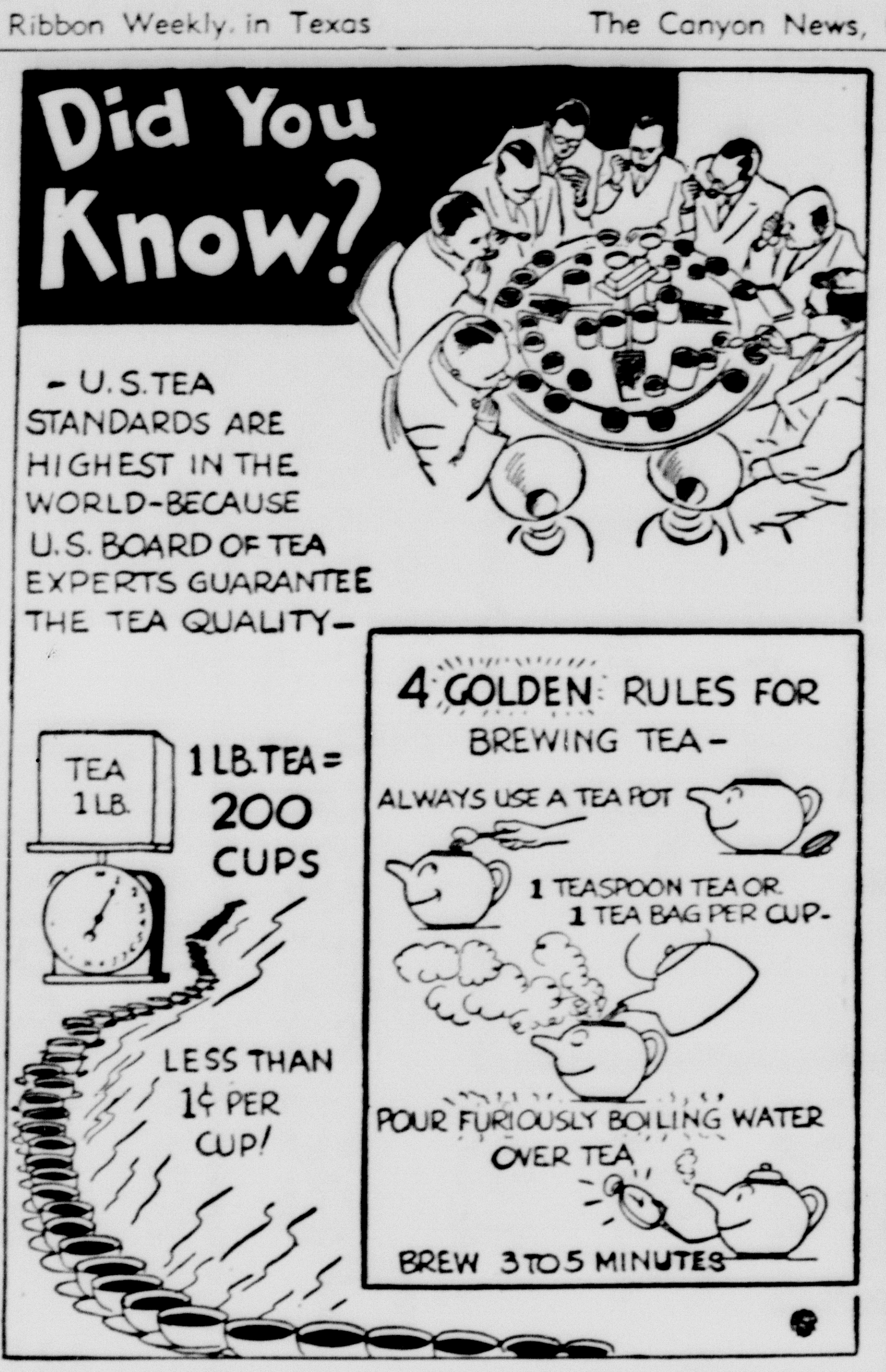
"Sure, sor," grinned Pat; "but it would do yez no good without my brains."

FUTILE

To yield a woman that "last word" may seem to men time-thrifty. But when has one word been enough? The least she'll need is 50.

Dr. Howard Whipple Green, Methodist preacher: "Sermons should be aimed to coincide with the educational level of the congregation."

CARE asks U. S. to give farm surpluses for relief.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Many American Soldiers Knew Red Intelligence Agent Yuri Rastovorov

By JOHN COLBY

TOKYO: When American magazines and newspapers ran pictures of Yuri (most people called him George) Rastovorov, Russian diplomat now in American hands, many GI's in Japan and Korea, said, "Why, I know that guy."

In this wide open town where an American sergeant makes as much money in a month as many Japanese do in a year there's no shortage of brightly lit joints, with more "charming hostesses" than customers. The black market is one of the biggest businesses in Tokyo, and anyone with PX liquor, cigarettes, soap or butter is a mighty popular man.

Prostitution was legal in pre-war Japan, and though the Occupation passed laws making it illegal, an estimated 8,000 streetwalkers are plying the ancient trade nightly. Women of easy virtue, black market operators, night club owners and the thousand and one hangers-on were eager agents for the debonaire Russian.

Japan, an independent nation, was not at war with North Korea, in fact, has 700,000 Koreans (mostly from the North) living in Tokyo, and was a spies' "playground during the Korean war. Each day fighting men from the Korean battlefront poured into Tokyo for five days "R and R" (a brief respite from the cold, wet bunkers and foxholes, the long nightly scouting missions and the eternal vigilance of front line duty).

These men were loaded with back pay, looking for a "good time." Such places as the Baccus Club, Forbidden City, and the Club Joan were waiting for them. These places advertise "GI's Only," and the Japanese government makes no effort to regulate such places because they do not cater to Japanese and are simply regarded as a good source of income in this dollar-hungry country.

The members of the Russian mission, though unrecognized by the Japanese government, were an exceptionally-active group of men. All spoke English, could easily pass themselves off as members of the various allied armies fighting in Korea, and were very well known in the Tokyo underworld. Nightly they were seen in the "clubs" frequented almost exclusively by GI's and usually knew as much about the American front line and ready reserves in Korea as the American officials themselves.

The beauty of the thing was that there was nothing illegal about being a Communist spy in Tokyo. Agents could openly pay ladies of easy virtue or bar tenders who would tip them off about a soldier (usually half intoxicated) "whom they would be interested in meeting." A soldier rarely thinks of his day-to-day life, movements of his unit, the number dead, how heavily fortified his position is, etc., as being of much interest to anyone, and he rarely considers it a military secret.

George Rastovorov, debonnaire in American sport clothes, was a superb tennis player and spoke English with a melodic (and romantic, say some feminine members of the Tokyo Tennis Club) accent. He was well known in the foreign colony as a good fourth for bridge. He was no stranger at the American officers clubs, but was much better known in the Shinjuku Red Light district, the downtown "club" area and the Ueno black market, a section devoted exclusively to the sale of American merchandise upon which no tax had been paid.

Traditional American friendship paid off in this case. Rastovorov seemed to like Americans as much as they liked him, and when ordered back to Moscow, he surrendered himself to U. S. officials.

Dr. Marshall T. Steel, Dallas (Tex.) Methodist pastor: "Too many preachers are interested in getting a better opportunity in another church instead of developing the opportunity they now have in the church they are serving."

Dr. Oscar A. Benson, president, National Lutheran Council: "The churches of the West have kindled confidence in the hearts of those wait behind Iron Curtains for the dawn of freedom."

President Eisenhower has approved a statement opposing blanket increases in income-tax exemptions as proposed by the Democrats.

Japan will move under her recent agreement of mutual defense with the United States to acquire 17 American warships, including two powerful destroyers.

The Beagle has become the top dog in pedigree registrations.

Educators advise the schools to fight Red ideology.

Japan pushes buy-at-home idea to help balance budget.

The antiquity of man is now put at one million years.

SPECIALS

FRIDAY, APRIL 2, 1954

FOR DOLLAR DAY

NOTE PAPERS

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WARWICK'S

THE 'D. T.'s' MAYBE

"What is it that has horns, a long-pointed tail, and carries a pitchfork?"

"I give up."

"I don't know either, but it's been following us ever since we left that last bar."

Administration plans to meet any sharp drop in employment are reported nearly ready for instant use.

Italy plans to improve army, not increase its size.

Marjory Douglas, curator, "Cavalcade of Fashion:" "Today's girls all have bigger hands and feet than their mothers. Maybe that's because they got all their vitamins."

Herman L. Shibler, Indiana educator: "Over 50 per cent of all students who enter high school as freshmen do not remain to graduate."

James Ramsey Ullman, author: "Each victory we win begets a new challenge."

Ramon Maysaysay, Philippine President, deploring "Asia for the Asians" slogan: "We must not try to fit many and changing needs of national welfare into a straightjacket of a slogan."

Konrad Adenauer, Chancellor of West Germany: "Sovietization of Europe is still the supreme goal of Russian policy."

Herbert Hoover, ex-President: "You can have high confidence that this (recession) is only a passing dip."

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WARREN'S

The Eagle's Tale

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Juniors Honor Seniors With Banquet-Prom

"Buttons and Bows" invaded the high school cafeteria as the juniors honored the seniors with the annual banquet and prom last Friday night. The cafeteria was decorated with sparkling buttons and fancy bows backed by music staffs and notes. The lights were covered with streamers drawn through huge shimmering buttons. Randall Hall ballroom was decorated similarly.

Jack McCormick, president of the junior class, acted as toastmaster. Larry Hungate opened the program with the invocation. R. A. Burgess welcomed the seniors, faculty, and guests, and Bob Wilkerson, president of the senior class, gave the response. Peggy Sheets made a toast to parents, and Jeanice Eppler made a toast to the faculty.

Members of the school board and their wives, senior room parents, junior room parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Gibson, and Mr. and Mrs. James E. Miller were introduced by the toastmaster.

For a musical interlude the Bachlor Buttons, Ray Green, Larry Hungate, and Billy Joe Kennedy, sang "Buttons and Bows" and for an encore sang "Sweet Violets." The Beautiful Bows, Martha Jones, Tanya Hanks, Alice Simms, Carol Brasher, Jo Beth Warren, Laura Morris, Ada Glynn Wortham, Opal Dawson, Rita Jo Crow, and Helene Meyer, sang "Because You're Mine" and for an encore, "From the Time You Say Goodby."

Before the guest speaker appeared Ken Kuykendall gave a humorous "look into the future," seeing seniors ten years from now.

The speaker, Bob Wear of the Hereford Church of Christ, spoke on "Today's Experience" or "Tomorrow's Memories." Our memories will be based on what we do today. Good memories help us with the burdens of life. Bad memories make life almost unbearable. Accept and follow high ideals. If we have high ideals we rise; if we do not, we do not go to the levels of the great. A pleasant memory, and uncontaminated memory is an unending source of refreshment. These were thoughts expressed by Mr. Wear.

The menu consisted of jello with fruit cocktail, chicken fried steak, mashed parsley potatoes, creamed peas, hot rolls, butter, salted nuts, orange sherbet, cake, and iced tea.

The banquet was closed with the school song.

"It was delightful to be the recipient of such a clever banquet. I certainly enjoyed it," said Mrs. Cecil Simms, senior class sponsor.

The formal prom was held in the Randall Hall ballroom. Music was furnished by the Collegians.

True Friendship

"This is my commandment, that ye love one another, as I have loved you. Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. Ye are my friends, if ye do whatsoever I command you. Henceforth, I call you not servants, for the servant knoweth not what his Lord doeth; but I have called you friends; for all things that I heard of my Father I have made known to you."—John 15:12-15.

Jesus made this statement in one of his many lessons. It shows the value of friendship, and the meaning of friendship. Do you take friendship seriously or lightly?

An old proverb, "True friendship is one of life's treasures," should always be kept in mind. Friends are those whom a person can trust. Do you feel that way about your friends? Do your friends think the same about you? If you hold many friendships, are you true to each one?

Friendship is a noble thing, and should never be abused. How true are your friendships?

Fight For Freedom

What does "freedom" mean to you? "Freedom is alone the unoriginated birthright of man; it belongs to him by force of his humanity, and is in dependence on the will and creation of every other, in so far as this consists with every other person's freedom." —Kant.

The constitution of the United States gives all men in this country these three freedoms: freedom of speech, freedom of the press, and freedom of religion. Several years ago President Franklin D. Roosevelt set up the following "four freedoms:" freedom to express oneself, freedom to worship as pleased, freedom from want, and freedom from fear.

"Freedom from fear," you say what did he mean by this; what fear is there in our country? Here in the United States we have a democratic form of government. We, the people, rule our government, while in lands across the seas such a dreadful thing as "communism" has spread. This one word "communism" is perhaps one of those fears President Roosevelt was talking about in his "four freedoms." Webster defines communism as being "the doctrine of having property in common socialism."

Those people under communist rule are forced to live as one person wishes them. They write, speak, worship, and perhaps even think as this dictator tells them to. Children are taught communism in the schools. Activities and entertainment are chosen not by the children and people but by this one person. Many people lose their lives and families because they will not co-operate with this communist government.

Stop and think! Communism is something to fear. Every day communist spies and representatives are roaming in our country in large numbers. Do we want to lose our freedom? Let us protect our homes, schools, community, and country. Fight for freedom; it is one of God's greatest gifts.

Dovie Keene was chosen '53 Band Queen.

Martha McBroom was named All Tournament player at the '53 Tulia basketball tournament.

Barbara Winters was elected editor-in-chief of The Eagle's Tale and Edwina Caskey was elected assistant editor.

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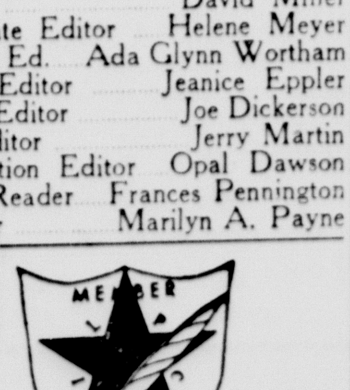

Miller Wins PHSPA Presidency

David Miller, editor of The Eagle's Tale has been elected president of the Panhandle High School Press Association. Other honors received by Canyon High at the meet Friday were:

Frances Pennington, first place in editorial, second place in news stories; Joe Dickerson won an honorable mention in editorials; and David received third place in editorial.

Sandra Burch, Pampa, won the Dorinda E. Bond award for outstanding journalists. The other officers elected were Mike Price, Pampa, vice-president, and Cecilia Spivey, Dalhart, secretary.

Registration and a social hour were held from 9:00 a. m. to 10:00 a. m. The general session was opened in the Branding Iron Theatre with a welcoming address from Dr. James P. Cornette, president of West Texas State. James Huffines, former president, from White Deer, introduced the officers, and led the general session.

Wes Izzard, editor of the Amarillo Daily News, was guest speaker.

Entertainment was provided by Matilda Gaume, pianist, and Royal Brantley, baritone. Both are members of the WTSC faculty.

After a short period of free time, the conference was resumed with lunch at 12:40. Campaign speeches and stunts were held in the Branding Iron Theatre.

Section meetings were next on the agenda. Editing and make-up of a printed paper was conducted by Amarillo in the band hall. L. A. Vahue of Russell's Stationery gave a demonstration of mimeographing in the speech-radio studio. Annual layout and photography were presented by Norma Qualls, Borger, and Glenn Arden, Amarillo.

Canyon presented news writing, and general columns was White Deer's topic. Johnie Rockwell gave annual advertising. Walter Richter, Steck Company, presented pointers on yearbook theme and organization.

Dumas and Lefors staged sports story and column, and Dalhart presented editorial writing. Tulia was in charge of feature writing. The meet was adjourned after a business meeting and announcement of awards.

Sponsor of PHSPA is Bill R. Lee.

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DAVID MILLER

Choral Members Go To Amarillo

"Brilliant among the top organizations of the boy choir field stands the Denton Civic Boy Choir." The choir gave a program presented by the South Amarillo Lions Club at the Amarillo Municipal Auditorium on March 21.

The choir was begun in 1946 by its present director, George Bragg; it has been the activity of over 400 boys. The original membership numbered 37. At the present time the choir includes 50 boys who came as far as 60 miles for each rehearsal. The boys have appeared on many radio and television programs; they have appeared in 25 states.

Fourteen choir students and two members of the faculty, Miss Marilyn A. Payne and Miss Ada V. Clark, of Canyon High School attended the program in Amarillo.

Anne Barnhill, a student who attended, remarked, "for such young children they had perfect discipline." "They were remarkable linguists," said Opal Dawson, another student who attended the program.

Amarillo Air Force Base Presents Assembly Program on Americanism

"We are trying to get over to the young people of our country the importance of being an American citizen," said Chaplain Marlin B. Morris of the Amarillo Air Force Base to the students of Canyon High School in an assembly on March 24. The Air Force base of Amarillo presented the program which was on Americanism.

To open the program Staff Sgt. Bob Lemke sang "Love Walked In," "Laughing on The Outside," and "Oh My Papa." He was accompanied at the piano by Ann Holt. Chaplain Morris then introduced Airman Sigmund Rojeck, formerly of Poland, who answered questions of the Chaplain's about life behind the Iron Curtain.

Airman Rojeck was behind the Iron Curtain for two and one-half years. Poland in 1939 had a republic form of government. The people of Poland did not have personal fear under this government. At this time in Poland the people had freedom of religion and freedom of social life. They had the right to own most of the farm land themselves. At the present time these freedoms are no longer so; for Poland is now under Communistic rule.

When Airman Rojeck was six years old he and his family, his mother and father, were sent to a concentration camp in Siberia. In this camp there were about 15,000 people of all nationalities. The children, ages from six to ten, had to go to school to train to become Communists. The men, ages 21 to 30, worked in salt mines or at other hard work; while the women worked on the farms. The food condition was bad. If the people worked as hard as the Communists believed they should, maybe they would get a half of a loaf of bread, which was to last them about two days.

Only Rojeck and his mother came out of the concentration camp. In 1941, Russia signed a treaty with the United States and French troops liberated the people from the concentration camp. Airman Rojeck went to Persia, then to India, later to Mexico, and then he came to the United States. He is not yet a citizen of the United States but he plans to be. Rojeck's plans for after he gets out of the Air Force are to go to school.

Airman First Class William Penland accompanied the group to Canyon.

HEY YOU!

IF YOU HAVE:
Moved
Eloped
Dated a new feller
Sold out
Been robbed
Been drafted
Got married
Bought a car
Sold one
Had company
Been visiting
Lost your hair
Lost your teeth
Lost your dog
Been in a fight
Dated a new gal
Burned down the school
Killed a guy

Well it's news. Why not turn it in to The Eagle's Tale. It could make the headlines, you know.

Wilford Taylor III was crown bearer for the 1952 Halloween Queen.

Edel Money and Bettie Glanton reigned as Smile King and Queen in 1953.

"I'll See You in My Dreams" was the theme of the 1953 FHA Sweetheart Banquet.

Last year Bettie Glanton was chosen CHS Smile Queen.

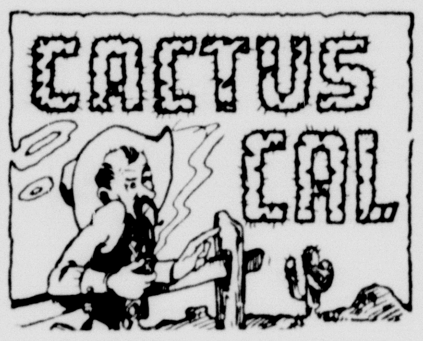
Three Bands Give Spring Concert

Elementary School Band and the Junior High School Band, under the direction of Mr. Clyde Swatzell, and the Canyon High School Band, under the direction of Mr. Herman Demus, presented a band concert in the Canyon High School auditorium March 30.

Numbers presented by the Elementary School Band were "Mission Choral" by Holmes, "Hercules," a sousaphone solo played by Bobby Joyner, by Earl; "Streamliner March" by Holmes, "The Ballet" by Guy, and "Festival March" by Holmes.

The Junior High School Band played "Storm King March" by Finlayson, "Enchantress Overture" by Frangkiser.

The Canyon High School Band played "Down Main Street," a march, by Weidt; "An American Scene," overture, by Grundman; "Beguine and Conga," for typani and brass choir, by Berryman; "Autumn Silhouette" by Watters, "South," arranged by Leonard, "Hollywood Serenade" by Davis, and "Argonaut," a march, by Weeks.



Well, kiddies, we promised you the boys' names this week. There was some confusion last week so this week we put the name they go by in the first column and their other name in the second column.

SENIORS

Joe	Phillip
Edward	Dale
Jimmy	Curtis
Larry	Earl
Joe	Gladson
Harold	Cecil
Ted	Ray
Raymond	Curtis
Hugh	Neil
George	Lankford
Kerry	Edwin
Lonnie	Ray
Bob	William
Ted	Don
Charles	Herbert
Don	Eugene

JUNIORS

Jamie	Wayne
Kenneth	David
Leroy	Foster
Joe	Edward
Allen	Dean
Tom	Leo
Lon	Ellison
Jimmie	Lewis
Roy	Samuel
Larry	Eugene
Gilbert	Bailie
Frank	William
Ken	David
Don	Ray
Billy	Arvel
Jack	Neil
James	Lynn
Don	Dean
Tommy	Joe
Norris	Lee
Larry	Robert

Choir Working on Songs From 'The Desert Song'

The choir is working on a number of songs from the operetta, "The Desert Song," by Sigmund Romberg. The selections are: "The Riff Song," "Let Love Come," "Romance," "If One Flower Grows Alone in My Garden," "One Alone," "The Desert Song," and "The Military Marching Song."

Menus

Tuesday, March 30: Hamburgers, tomatoes, lettuce, relish, potato chips, doughnuts, and chocolate milk.

Wednesday, March 31: Spanish rice, pickled beets, corn bread, butter, homemade cookies, and milk.

Thursday, April 1: Chicken and dressing, English peas and carrots, celery sticks, cranberry sauce, bread, butter, peach halves, and milk.

Friday, April 2: Salmon patties, cheese topped potatoes, green beans, cole slaw, bread, butter, butter cake with pineapple topping, and milk.

Top Seniors Take Aptitude Tests

Six of the top ranking seniors in the National Honor Society were selected to take General Aptitude Tests for a chance to win a National Honor Society scholarship. Three boys and three girls were selected: Joe Watson, Ted Briggs, Bob Cole, Jo Ann Mickey, Nora Dell Williams, and Billie Graham. The tests were given Tuesday, March 23, at 9:00 a. m.

Joe Watson, whose hobby is amateur radio, has an ambition to be an electronics engineer. He plans to study at Abilene Christian College and Northwestern. For his graduate study he plans to go to M. I. T. He belongs to the Science Club and National Honor Society. In his junior year he was selected for Junior Who's Who.

Bob Cole is in the National Honor Society and is an active member in the Science Club. He has been in the high school band. This year he had a part in the senior play. He plans to study at Texas A&M and plans to enter the field of engineering.

Hunting is Ted Brigg's hobby. He belongs to the FTA, Science Club, and National Honor Society. Last year he was selected for Junior Who's Who. He plans to enter the field of engineering, and plans to study at West Texas State and Texas Tech.

Jo Ann Mickey's hobby is playing tennis. Her ambition is to teach school and write. She plays basketball and tennis. She belongs to the National Honor Society and the Science Club. Jo Ann is first clarinet in the high school band. She plans to study at West Texas State.

Nora Dell Williams belongs to the National Honor Society. She was class favorite in her freshman year. Last year she was a twirler in the band. This year she is vice-president of the FHA.

Billie Graham's ambition is to be an interior decorator. Her favorite subject is home economics. She belongs to the National Honor Society.

The tests were sent to the Scholarship Board of the National Association of Secondary School Principals in Washington, D. C. All participating schools will be notified of the results, including the test scores of the school's candidates, about May 15, 1954.

Senior Teens - - -

Reading and music are hobbies of the first senior of the week. She is 5'5" tall and weighs 129 pounds. Her birthday is July 2 and she was born in 1936. She has beautiful red hair, sparkling brown eyes, and a happy disposition. Last year she was in the junior play. She sings in the choir and senior ensemble. In the FTA she is an active member. She also belongs to the National Honor Society.

Right now her plans are to enter West Texas State next year and major in music or business. "Peace, Peace" is her favorite song and her favorite subjects are music and English. One of her friends said "Her friendly smile, sweet disposition, and genuine interest in others win her many friends. She always seems to be happy and helps make those around her feel the same way."

The second senior of the week is 5'11" tall and weighs 135 pounds. He was born January 13, 1936. He has short brown hair and blue eyes. Physics is his favorite subject. His favorite activity is playing "horse-shoes." For three years he has played in the CHS band. He belongs to the Science Club and the National Honor Society. He is also a "radio ham." His ambition is to graduate from high school. He has no particular plans as to what college he will attend. Some day he would like to enter the field of science for a vocation.

One of the teachers of this teen remarked, "He is a very good student. He is very cooperative, a good citizen, and a likeable person. If he continues to do his work daily, he will be a success in life."

Senior teens last week were Patsy Vandergriff and Joe Watson.

Seventy boys of the CHS chapter of FFA attended the annual Amarillo Fat Stock Show in 1953.

Sue Keeling, Wanette Green, Dorothy Neblett, Ted Briggs, Joe Watson, and Charles Miller were chosen 1952-53 Junior Who's Who.

Joe's Blows

Canyon's trackmen took their second straight track meet Friday, March 26, by gathering in 77⅚ points while Dumas was second with 55 1-3 points. Canyon, Tulia, Dumas, and Dalhart were the four teams at the meet. Tulia came in third and Dalhart fourth.

The results:

High jump: Hicks, Dumas, 5'7"; Clements, Canyon, 5'6"; Carlile, Tulia, and Carson, Dalhart, tied for third; broad jump: Rogers, Tulia, 20'9¼"; Yaryan, Canyon, 20'4"; Hicks, Dumas, 20'2½"; pole vault: Silor, Dumas, and Cunningham, Canyon, tied with 9'; shot put: Britt, Canyon, 43'1¾"; Yaryan, Canyon, 41'10"; Hutson, Tulia, 41'6"; discus: Clements, Canyon, 118'7"; Haddock, Canyon, 114'6½"; Yaryan, Canyon, 113'9½".

High hurdles: Airhart, Canyon, 16.8 sec.; Neblett, Canyon, 17.1 sec.; Carson, Dalhart, 18.4 sec.; low hurdles: Airhart, Canyon, 21.5; Rodgers, Tulia, 21.9; Neblett, Canyon, 22.; 220-yard dash: Yaryan, Canyon, 23.2; Little, Dumas, 23.5; Airhart, Canyon, 24; 440-yard dash: Lummus, Dumas, 52.0; Day, Dumas, 55.7; McBroom, Canyon, 56.1; 100-yard dash: Lummus, Dumas, 10.2; Yaryan, Canyon, 10.3; Little, Dumas, 10.4; 880-yard dash: Messenger, Dumas, 12:13.2; Simon, Canyon, 2:14.6; Porter, Canyon, 2:14.9.

Mile run: Tiner, Dumas, 4:47.7; Lowe, Canyon, 5:2.6; Maddux, Canyon, third. 440-yard relay: Dumas (Little, Hicks, Barry, Lummus) 46.1; Canyon (Clement, Neblett, Airhart, Yaryan) 46.3; mile relay: Dumas (Day, Bennett, Hicks, Lummus) 3:46; Canyon (Simon, Ruthart, McBroom, Clements) 3:46.5.

Last year, Kathy Truax and Don Duncan were class favorites of the freshman class.

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TUESDAY, APRIL 6, 1954

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Single Ring Rites Read Saturday For Peppard-Rowton Ceremony

MRS. JAMES LEE ROWTON

Yellow and white decorations were used in the Assembly of God parsonage Saturday afternoon, March 26, for a background for the wedding of Mary Mae Peppard to Rev. James Lee Rowton of Bartlesville, Oklahoma. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Peppard. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rowton of Bartlesville, Oklahoma.

Rev. A. J. Pettit read the single ring rites at 2 p. m. in the presence of relatives and a few intimate friends.

Miss Shirley Peppard was maid-of-honor to her sister. Other attendants to the bride were Mrs. A. J. Pettit and Miss Gaylene Pettit. They wore tailored costumes. Miss Peppard's corsage was blue carnations. Corsages of the others were pink carnations.

Mrs. Bob Goodwin accompanied Miss Shirley Peppard who sang "Because" as a prenuptial solo, and played the traditional wedding marches for the processional and recessional.

Escorted to the altar and given in marriage by her father, the bride was dressed in a light blue suit with beige accessories and carried a white Bible surmounted with white carnations.

Earl Gene Peppard, brother of the bride, served as best man. Bob Goodwin was usher.

Mrs. Peppard, mother of the bride, wore a navy suit with pink accessories and a pink carnation corsage.

Immediately following the ceremony the bridal party was feted with a reception at the home of Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Pettit. Miss Gaylene Pettit presided at the punch bowl and Mrs. Bob Goodwin served the cake.

On their wedding trip the couple will visit in Enid and Bartlesville, Oklahoma. They will make their home in Oklahoma.

The bride is a graduate of Canyon High School and attended West Texas State and S. B. I at Waxahachie.

Reverend Rowton is a graduate of Bartlesville High School and attended S. B. I. at Waxahachie. He is a minister of the Assembly of God Church.

COUNTY-WIDE GIRLS 4-H CLUB TAKES PERMANENT NEW NAME

On March 13 the Randall County-Wide Girls 4-H Club met in Miss Lou Ella Patterson's office. President, Alby Ann Kuehler, presided.

Mary Janssen reported three names that had been suggested by the committee previously assigned for the new name of the 4-H club. La Goldrina 4-H Club, meaning "love" in Spanish, was selected.

Miss Patterson showed slides of various shrubs which the girls will have to learn for the shrub identification contest.

Mary Janssen led the girls present in a short recreation period.

One new member, Carolyn Campbell, attended.

The La Goldrina 4-H Club held its regular meeting Saturday, March 27, at 2:30 in the court house.

The group held an informal meeting and studied various shrubs. Following this study Miss Lou Ella Patterson, Home Demonstration agent, gave the girls a test on shrub identification.

Betty Hoffman had charge of the recreation period.

Present were Betty Hoffman and Alby Kuehler, members, Pat Copeland, junior leader, Mrs. Max Hoffman, and Mrs. A. J. Lindemann, adult leaders, and Miss Patterson.

Steel production continues to maintain its steady pace.

Ellis CHILE
GOOD! BETTER! BEST!

Fairview Breezes

We have been having a lot of wind and dirt lately but no moisture.

Bro. Earl Landtroop filled the pulpit Sunday with two excellent sermons.

Those attending the picnic in the canyons Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Read and James, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Evans, Mr. and Mrs. John Patterson, La Quita and Bettye, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wesley, Mrs. Ella Hext and Angela Airhart and Bro. Earl Landtroop.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Airhart and Leesa visited Sunday in the Woodrow Wesley and J. W. Wesley homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Devin accompanied a group of youngsters to the canyons Sunday for a picnic.

Patricia Patterson visited Sunday in the Woodrow Wesley home.

Those playing "88" in the J. W. Wesley home Thursday evening were Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Wesley, Lavena Amerson, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rogers.

Mrs. Ella Hext visited from Wednesday until Friday in the L. G. Airhart home in Happy.

Angela Airhart visited from Friday until Sunday with her grandmother, Mrs. Ella Hext.

The shower honoring little Wesley Neil James, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wyley James, in the Woodrow Wesley home Friday afternoon was attended by a large crowd. Mrs. Letha Patterson and Serena Bryan were co-hostesses with Mrs. Pauline Wesley. Ice cream and cup cakes were served to the crowd with marshmallow baby buggie as favors.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Shipman and Nan Earyle and Gene visited from Friday to Sunday in Denver, Colo., with the former Hazel Cox.

Mrs. Mary Hubbard has been quite sick with bronchial pneumonia and went to see Dr. Neblett Saturday morning.

The Home Demonstration club is sponsoring a quilting at the school house Wednesday. Everyone is urged to come out and help.

Mrs. Serena Bryan is entertaining the Home Demonstration club Friday afternoon.

Mrs. G. E. Wesley had the misfortune of falling and breaking her arm last Wednesday and has been suffering a great deal with it. She had to have the cast changed Sunday.

A MISS ALL AROUND

Knoxville, Tenn. — When a hold-up man walked into the H. T. King grocery store with a gun, Mrs. King grabbed for his gun and the man fired twice, missing both times. Mrs. King then picked up a pistol and fired twice, missing both times. King joined in the shooting with a third gun, fired three times and missed with all. The would-be hold-up man fled. Nobody was hurt and nobody was robbed.

MONEY SAVED

Ephraim, storekeeper in a small Vermont town, was greeted by a neighbor who consoled him on the loss of some of his merchandise during a fire. "Did you lose much?" asked the friend.

"Not too much," came the laconic reply. "I'd just marked most of my stock down 25 per cent."

AMBITION

The modern girl's ambition is just what her mother's was—to make some man a good husband.

Buy, Build, Live in Canyon!

NEWS LETTER

FROM CONGRESSMAN WALTER ROGERS OF THE 18th CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

Danger of Another Dust Bowl

Representatives from Southeastern Colorado, New Mexico, Kansas, Oklahoma, and the Texas Panhandle have been in Washington recently urging some immediate action to prevent a recurrence of the dust bowl days of the 1930's.

Cooperation and coordination between the state and federal governments and the respective landowners will be essential to an early and effective blocking of a recurrence of that plight. People who have never suffered through one of these plagues of mankind, cannot remotely appreciate what it does to the land and to the men on the land.

As one spokesman put it, "It eats at the very souls of men." Another describes it as completely closing you in and leaving you with a feeling of utter despair. He said that it creates an inner nervous tension that stays with you for days, to be renewed by another duster just as you feel that you have about shaken it off.

The blowing of the land in the great Southwest is one of the No. 1 problems of this nation today. Unless it is attacked immediately, it will spread like a cancerous growth and eventually cost untold millions in damage to be repaired, to say nothing of the loss of productivity of the land it affects.

Aldon Bell, of Perryton, was in the office the other day and told me that this dust was settling on the grass in our section and that many ranchers were having trouble getting their cattle to eat the grass.

Most of the blowing seems to be in Southeastern Colorado at the present time, and we hope that it does not spread further. Several of us met with the representatives from that section and representatives from the several departments having jurisdiction of this type of problem.

Some headway has been made, and it appears that some immediate action will be taken to cope with the problem in Southeastern Colorado. Although it will cost several million dollars to carry out an effective program, this cost could multiply many times if this blowing is allowed to continue.

The New Housing Bill

The Housing Bill is scheduled to be before the House just about the time many of you will be reading this letter. This bill is not much different from the housing bills that we have had in the past. That is, the basic policies are not substantially changed.

Speaking of housing, a rather amusing situation has developed. It will be remembered that during the latter part of the Truman administration, Mr. Truman requested 125,000 public housing units to be authorized. The Bureau of the Budget cut this down to 75,000 and the committees in Congress cut it to 35,000. The bill then came before the entire House of Representatives for a vote, and the 35,000 was cut down to 5,000.

The present Administration is asking for 140,000, which is 15,000 more than Truman asked for. The rate of this request, when it is presented to the Congress, is going to be most amusing, because many of those who are presently supporting the 140,000 public housing unit request were the very ones who called 125,000 units socialism at its worst. Chances are the authorization will be about 20,000.

I can't, for the life of me, see how the socialistic features of such a program can be erased by adding 15,000 more public housing units. Perhaps I just don't understand higher mathematics. I was one of those who worked and voted to cut down the public housing authorizations in the Truman administration, because I did not believe that they were to the best interest of the country.

The many socialistic features of such a program, coupled with the fact that they are most costly to the taxpayers, just don't add up to me to be good government, whether it is under a Truman administration or an Eisenhower administration. I find it most difficult to understand why public housing is socialistic in 1952 and free enterprise in 1953 and '54. The truth about it is that it is "politics," pure and unvarnished, in all three years.

Miscellaneous

The day of the Puerto Rican shooting two of my good friends got stuck in the cloakroom door trying to dodge the bullets. They were Martin Dies, of Texas, and Frank Boykin, of Alabama. Both weigh over 200 pounds. After the smoke had all died down, Martin Dies was heard to comment that the security most needed for the House of Representatives was "more doors."

One newspaperman quoted Frank Boykin as saying he was going after his gun. The newspaperman asked him where his gun was, and Frank replied it was in Alabama.

One Member commented the other day that the price of coffee is getting so high that he just can't afford shoes for his children.

I was having dinner with a visitor from the Panhandle a few weeks ago in a local hotel. He looked at the menu and saw sirloin steak, $4.50. He remarked, "That sure didn't come off of any animal I sold."

WATER CAUSES FIRE

Pittsburgh, Pa. — When a member of Mike Cafaro's family watered a plant on a windowsill, water dribbled down the wall and caused a short circuit in an electrical socket. A fire broke out. On the way to the fire, a fire truck smashed into a parked car, damaging the auto much more than that caused by fire in Cafaro's home.

HAPPENED IN HEAVEN

The golf match to end all golf matches was played up in Heaven St. Peter had the honor on the first tee and promptly made a hole in one. St. Paul, undaunted, repeated the performance. St. Peter marked the scores down dutifully on his card, then remarked:

"What do you say, Paul? Let's cut out the miracles and get down to business."

THERE'S A LIMIT

Many years ago at a prayer meeting, a man prayed: "Lord give every poor family a barrel of flour," and some member replied "Amen;" a barrel of sugar brought another amen and a barrel of salt another amen.

Then followed a barrel of pepper and one man, noted for his profanity, said: "Oh, hell, that's too much pepper."

A well-known comedian protests that he is always being told one of his own stories. This seems to be the case of the tale dogging the wag.

The defect of equality is that we only desire it with our superiors. —Henry Becque.

NO DANGER

"Aren't you ashamed of yourself?" asked the temperance reformer. "Day in and day out you are in a state of intoxication. Already you show the symptoms of delirium tremens. And I understand that some poor girl has been foolish enough to accept your proposal of marriage."

"Never mind, old boy," replied the hopeless cause. "The girl I'm going to marry is a snake charmer."

SEE?

His'n — My wife's being featured this week.

Her'n — Oh not really. You don't mean in the movies?

No. At the beauty doctor's.

ONE USE

During the current absence of snow, a ski is handy for inserting in the sleeve of a laundered shirt, before ironing.

SUCH IS LIFE

What a world! By the time you're important enough to take two hours for lunch, the doctor limits you to a glass of milk.

ALSO TRUE

"There is too much love in fiction," says a literary critic. Judging by the large numbers of breach of promise cases, the reverse is also true.

GROUP MEDICINE

In its simplest form, group medicine is where 35 kind relatives and thoughtful friends pitch in with a cure apiece for your cold.

Roger M. Kyes, Deputy Secretary of Defense: "The Defense Department is clearly aware that its real job is to provide our nation with a completely adequate defense system."

It is better that some should be unhappy than that none should be happy, which would be the case in a general state of equality. —Samuel Johnson.

The doctrine that all men are, in any sense, or have been, at any time, free and equal, is an utterly baseless fiction. —T. H. Huxley.

The doctrine of equality seldom embraces those who are worse off than its exponents. —R. A. Piddingston.

Adlai Stevenson says he is sure Army has not "coddled" Reds.

School editors display weariness with McCarthy.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF RANDALL
TO: THOSE INDEBTED TO, OR HOLDING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF OLA WARD, DECEASED:

The undersigned having been appointed Administratrix of the Estate of Ola Ward, deceased, late of Randall County, Texas, by Roy Joe Stevens, Judge of the County Court of said County on the 8th day of March, 1954 in Cause No. 844, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to her at her residence situated at 501 Oatis Avenue, Dalhart, Texas, or to her attorney, F. H. Richards, 104 East Third, Dalhart, Texas, within the time prescribed by law this 23rd day of March, 1954.

DORA W. DAVIS
Administratrix of the
Estate of Ola Ward, deceased
50tf

LIPSTICK LOGIC

BY LOUISE ALLEN

Latest thing to get surveyed is the raindrop.

Seems we've always believed raindrops all look alike, a sort of artist's model version of the real thing. Recently, in Illinois—where they're lucky enough to find 200,000 of them to survey—scientists made a detailed study of raindrops. The report shows they come in all shapes and sizes.

It has been a long time since we've done any serious thinking about raindrops, hence we have to rely on recollection for our impressions. But we've never doubted their variety in sizes. From the fine, needle-like ones that prickled our face as we walked to school, to the huge, splatter type that plopped into hot dry sand around bare feet, raindrops impressed this on us early. Pinned down, however, we'd admit an entirely unscientific notion that winter raindrops were tiny, summer ones larger.

Although we're no wetter for it, we now know they may be as small as one-one hundredth, or as large as four-tenths of an inch in diameter.

As to shape, we would have visualized the sand-ploppers, and those observed from beneath a tree during a sudden mountain shower, as pear-shaped — maybe because they're pictured that way so often. Now we're told this 'ideal' raindrop is rare. Instead, the small ones are likely to be round, the large ones probably resemble a fat mushroom.

We're no better off, of course, for acquiring scientific information about raindrops, since the little critters, in any shape or size, in these parts are hard to come by. But we do hope while they're surveying, meteorologists find out how speed and temperature affect shape. (How, for instance, can a thing that feels like a frozen pinpoint be perfectly round?)

We view with alarm this wrapping up the subject in a tight little survey. Whassa matter? Is the raindrop, like the dodo, becoming extinct?

British business is hesitant about trade with the Soviet.

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General Motors has become the world's first ten-billion sales company in 1953 with a record $10,027,985,482.

Retail sales in January dropped $668,000,000.

Vigorous selling of farm surplus abroad is urged.

U. S. private ship jobs are off a third in two years.

Stocks have reached the highest level since March, 1953.

Asia is said to be aware now of need for foreign capital.

Grass makes millions of dams.

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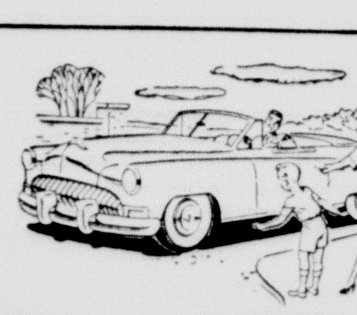
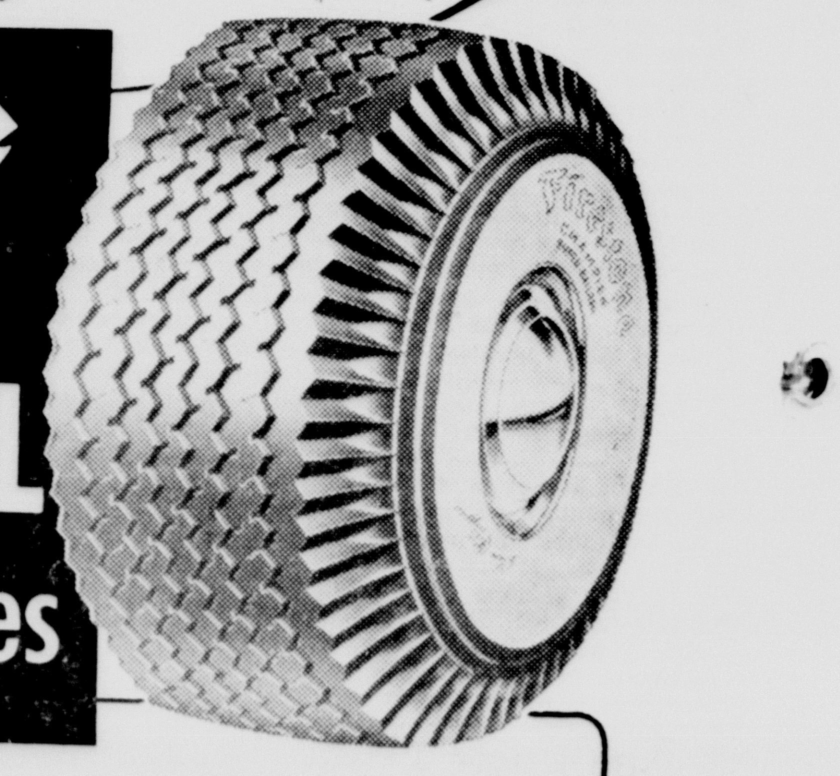
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COLE & MOORE

Just Gallivanting Around . . .

No this is no new column!

Don't get excited and think that the Newsman is off his rocker!

We have made another trip to San Antonio to see the doctor about our arthritis—the third time in six months, and before that, a trip to see another specialist in Tucson, Ariz.

All of you boys and gals who have reached 50 years had as well get ready. We were told by both doctors that when the human being reaches 50 years of age he is likely to have some form of rheumatism. Not a cheerful thought but nevertheless true. Some folks have the rheumatic kind, like Carl Anderson, while others have a type which affects the muscles more than the joints, as the Newsman.

As one doctor put our case—"It will never kill you, but you will wish many times that you were dead."

We travel by railroad! Not that we like the railroads better than other modes of travel, but it is by far the safest kind of travel. Some employes of the railroad are as courteous as can be; while others are as smug as any kind of person can be.

Starting from Amarillo, all that we heard on the trip from Pullman conductors was the low pay they were getting and how the roads could afford to pay more. This "afford" business knocked our ears down. How in the name of common sense can the roads pay higher wages when their business is vanishing!

Yet while we are in the griping mood, let's engage in a little ourselves.

We do not patronize "cheap" eating places. There is too much danger of infectious disease in such joints. There are plenty of this type, but we get pretty tired of seeing milk quoted as high as 15 cents per glass, when the average sale runs not more than a dime; and high priced hotel rooms, with never a smile on the part of the employes as they proceed to hold you up.

The South Texas women who invaded Austin did not get far with Governor Shivers. Our Governor is a past master in handling big groups of people who try to convince him against his will that he is wrong.

The women of South Texas were shocked when George Parr was found guilty of carrying a gun and promptly paid his fine. Old George is not the lily white angel that the group had thought, or rather had planned to make the Governor think that he is!

Keep that blanky, blanky dust in the Panhandle was the familiar chirp of greeting heard in the Alamo city. They blame everything on the Panhandle, even the drouth, which is as bad in the San Antonio area as it is in the Panhandle.

FDR is still being blamed for recognizing Red Russia. Well, let's be honest and fair about the deal.

FDR was fooled about the sincerity of Stalin. All of us were fooled. When Russia was recognized, she was our friend, fighting on our side.

Unfortunately we thought that we could "buy" the friendship of other nations! The begging swine have given us the double cross, just as Russia has done.

Joe McCarthy believes that the lie detector test should be given to all who testify before his committee.

Just imagine that, if you can!

Men who have fought the Reds in Korea should be treated like common criminals by Joe et al.

Which brings to mind the fact that a Canyon woman has stopped The Canyon News because we did not agree with her views on McCarthy!

Perhaps she should try to run a newspaper which pleases all of the readers. She is so scornful of the opinions of others, we believe that she would have a tough time trying to cram her ideas down the throats of all readers.

Sorry that we cannot see eye to eye with all of the people of Randall county, but we reserve the rights of good American citizens to write as we please—and do not demand that others believe as we do.

Incidentally, if you wish to subscribe to The Canyon News, your dollar is as good as the next person's. If we step on your sensitive toes occasionally we are sorry, but believe that we have done a good deed by causing you to think occasionally.

The week of elections will soon be here.

On Saturday of this week there will be an election of school trustees in the Canyon Independent School District. Only two names will be on the ballots. Newton Crain and Bailey McCormick are candidates to succeed themselves on the board of trustees. They have a tough job, but are fortunate in having the support of people of the district. Go to the polls and vote for their return.

Next Tuesday will be election day in Canyon.

Hosea Foster has no opponent for Mayor.

Two Commissioners will be selected. Paul Lindsey and Bob Bellah are candidates running with Mr. Foster. Bob Collinsworth is running for the City Commission as an independent candidate.

This government belongs to the people. If the voters are fully aware of the importance of voting, our local government will get along fine and dandy.

If YOU and YOU and YOU are too lazy or indifferent to vote, don't cuss those who go to the polls and select YOUR public officials.

We ran across Jay Taylor of RANDALL COUNTY at San Antonio who was attending the cattlemen's convention. Jay lives in Randall county, and votes in Randall county. He is interested in progress in Randall county.

Incidentally where on earth did all of the white Stetson hats come from as seen at the convention? Cattlemen were on every hand!

Remember Rector Lester? Okay, Canyon people remember, especially the pioneers of a few years back when his father, the late L. T. Lester, was founder and president of the First National Bank, and later when Rector became County Judge of Randall county.

Here is the story: Rector is a member of the City Council of San Antonio. He will be Mayor of that city one of these days if he will accept. There are two factions in San Antonio, and both want him to serve as mayor.

"What can you tell me about an expressway?" asked the Newsman of Rector.

"Come and I will show you," was his reply.

Rector and his good wife live some distance from the Gunter Building where he has his office. "It took me half an hour before the coming of the Expressway; now I make the distance in less than ten minutes. There are no stop lights; fast movement of traffic; plenty of places to drive on and off the Expressway. You may tell the people of Canyon and Amarillo that they will be making a terrible blunder not to accept the offer of the State Highway Commission, regardless of cost. Give the state all the land it wants and both towns will profit by the deal," was his reply.

Senator Chavez of New Mexico will keep his job by vote of the U. S. Senate.

It was decreed that the election in New Mexico was as legal as it could be held.

Which brings us down to this observation: No strictly legal election was ever held in Texas in any county, at any time. It cannot be done!

Perhaps the laws of New Mexico are no more complicated than in Texas. And the people generally are just as honest. Mistakes made? Yes, but why turn down a good man like Senator Chavez, for an unknown senator?

The streets of Dallas at night are as empty and dismal as the streets of Canyon.

Picture shows in Canyon, Amarillo, San Antonio, and every other town in Texas are playing at small crowds. Why?

We agree with Governor Shivers and a lot of other Texans: The plan of Speaker of the House, Reuben Senterfitt to pay the teachers by deficit spending is pure bosh.

If the teachers deserve an increase in salary, why give them "rubber" checks? If they don't deserve a raise, as Senterfitt argued in the regular session of the legislature, why not have guts enough to say so?

The Speaker knows that the Comptroller would turn down any appropriation bill for which no money was available. So why does he beat around the bush? Why not say that he is opposed to paying the teachers and be done with it?

Happy birthday to W. H. Harden! The Harden family arrived in Canyon 28 years ago Saturday.

Governor Cherry of Arkansas is a staunch Democrat. Says the Governor in regard to Senator McCarthy: "He is growing hysterical."

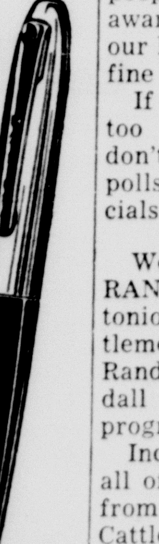
David Lawrence thinks that the people of America are making a martyr of McCarthy. He raises a good point: The people of Wisconsin are not easily changed in their thinking just because the people generally oppose one of their heroes.

We saw more men in shirt sleeves Thursday in San Antonio than we saw men with overcoats in Dallas Friday night.

President Eisenhower may be sick and tired of his job, but the Republicans will not allow him to retire without a struggle. They may distrust Ike, but they sure like to hold public office.

Had a pleasant visit with Dave Warren, publisher of the Panhandle Herald, on the Burlington train Saturday morning. He was on his way home from the clinic in Temple. He was told to reduce 30 pounds. For a man who likes good food those are almost criminal words. But since his heart has been acting up, Dave says that he is going through with the job of reducing. More power to him.

And then there was Carl Periman on the same train. He of FBI fame. Carl graduated 25 years ago from W. T. Asked if he was in the "40 hours per week" class, Carl retorted: "You mean 40 hours per day; seven or eight days per week. No, I have never promoted to the '40 hour per week' class."



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Sports Quiz

1. The international championship chess team hails from what country?
2. With what sport is Willie Troy connected?
3. Who is the manager of the Cincinnati Red Stockings?
4. For whom does Don Thompson play (baseball)?
5. What is the name of the course over which the Masters Golf Tournament is played each year?

THE ANSWERS:

1. Russia.
2. Boxing—he's a middleweight.
3. Birdie Tebbetts.
4. Brooklyn.
5. The Augusta National course, near Augusta, Ga.

A DROP

Those in Sierra Leone, West Africa, who sent an offering of $22.50 to Windy City churchmen to be used in combating the "evils of civilization in Chicago," had good intentions, but inadequate understanding of the size of the task.

LEGAL JOKE

". . . which reminds me of a story about an Englishman, an Irishman, and a Scotsman—hereinafter referred to as the parties of the first, second, and third parts, respectively."

NOT GOOD

The new home owner and amateur gardener soon learns that the mulch left by the builder—consisting of plaster, bent nails, sand and torn cement bags—doesn't promote the growth of shrubs and flowers.

THE REASON

Her'n — What makes that artist talk so funny?

His'n — Why, don't you see? He hasn't got any palatte

The best way to make every one poor is to insist upon equality of wealth. —Napoleon.

True D. Morse, Under Secretary of Agriculture: "The year ahead will be profitable for farmers."

Fertilize the soil regularly.

WASHINGTON AND

"SMALL BUSINESS"

By C. WILSON HARDER

Whenever the subject of money or credit arises, many profess these subjects are clothed in great mystery.

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Yet both money and credit are a basic commodity even more basic than corn, wheat, hogs, iron, or any other commodity, because few individuals, no business, no farm, can long operate without access to money and credit.

C. W. Harder

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This is a basic concept which has long plagued this nation. In early U. S. history President Andrew Jackson recognized the problem when he scuttled the chartered but privately owned Bank of the United States by placing Federal funds in various state banks to bolster falling local economies.

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Problem is again approached by pending bills in Congress, known as Capehart bill in Senate, Multer bill in House.

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Under present laws a bank cannot operate branches in more than one state; or operate non-banking business enterprises.

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But under a loophole in present law, holding companies own controlling interest in banking institutions and evade that law.

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The proposed legislation would stop this.

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The proposed law would also make bank holding corporations subject to the same regulation as independent banks which requires permission from appropriate Federal or State authority to acquire another bank either as a branch or as a merger.

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Independent banks are also prohibited from acquiring branches across state lines. The proposed new law would place the same regulation in force on bank holding companies. There are several points to bear in mind during coming debates.

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One is the subject of fairness. Limitations imposed on independent banks should undoubtedly prevail for all.

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There is also need for strong independent local banks to insure local economic health by serving with an understanding of community needs at the grass roots level. This point will be discussed later as most important phase of this issue is this.

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Concentration of money and credit in a few hands now under way via bank holding corporation system, can, unless stopped dominate entire American scene, economically and politically.

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With corporations owning vast banking resources, as well as non-banking business operations, there is great temptation to use power of amassed cash and credit to knock out independent competition to holding corporation owned firms.

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In addition all banks hold as a substantial part of their assets government securities. Therefore, two or three bank holding corporations could own majority interest in U. S. government.

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In addition these few corporations holding bulk of U. S. cash and credit, could, through cartel agreements set up international controls over the world.

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Many historians claim that without the House of Rothschild, no nation in Europe would have been able to carry on the long bloody years of the Napoleonic Wars. And today in America, a few vast holding corporations have already acquired more power than the Rothschilds ever held. That is the crux of issue now before Congress.

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Latest Rumors From Political Front of Nation

President Eisenhower, it's true, has told visitors that he does not intend to seek a second term. Mr. Eisenhower was talking much the same way in 1951 and 1952 before he was drafted the first time, so political observers conclude that no doors are being closed to a draft in 1956.

The President is being subjected to tighter and tighter security precautions as a consequence of the terrorist attack on Congress by fanatical Puerto Ricans. A President's movements are increasingly restricted in today's unsettled world.

Mr. Eisenhower finds his White House staff heatedly split over the attitude the President should take toward Senator McCarthy. The faction that wants Mr. Eisenhower to "do something" about the Senator keeps needling him into press conference statements.

Strong pressures have been brought to settle the argument between Senator Joseph McCarthy and the U. S. Army by arranging for resignation of Roy Cohn as chief counsel for the McCarthy Committee and of John Adams, counsel for the Army. Republican leaders are concerned lest a full-dress investigation of charges and countercharges redound to the political benefit of Democrats.

Ezra Benson, Secretary of Agriculture, is getting set to take on Senator Joseph McCarthy in a new arena. The Wisconsin Senator is about to do battle for price supports that will give dairy farmers 100 per cent of "parity," while the Eisenhower Administration, through an order by Secretary Benson, is lowering price supports to 75 per cent of parity.

Strategists for the Democratic Party plan to make a fight, but not too hard a fight, for an increase in personal exemptions from income tax. In this way they expect to get any political advantage that goes with favoring added tax cuts while voters see Republicans in opposition to the cuts.

Joseph Martin, Jr., House Speaker, is being forced to the conclusion that it will be August 15 before Congress can go home, rather than July 1, the present deadline. Senate action on the President's program of proposed laws is in slow motion.

Roger Kyes, Deputy Secretary of Defense, is resigning under terms of an agreement made at the time he undertook the No. 2 Defense job, and for no other cause. Mr. Kyes came to Washington with a firm understanding that his service would be of definitely limited duration.

John Foster Dulles, Secretary of State, is concerned at the prospect that Russians will accept the U. S. plan for world development of an atomic pool, but will tie to the acceptance a condition that H-bombs be outlawed in war. The concern is that European nations might bite on this kind of offer, while the United States—hooked by a one-sided disarmament plan in the 1920s—would feel impelled to reject it.

Lester Pearson, Canada's representative at the United Nations, is to act as "swing man" in a maneuver to get Communist China a U. N. membership. The plan is to vote the Chinese Communists a membership in the U. N. Assembly, where a veto apparently cannot keep them out. The U. N. Security Council, where Nationalist China would retain a membership, no longer amounts to much because of Russia's use of the veto.

Russia's first Army maneuvers built around atomic weapons have just been completed in the Carpathian Mountains. Tests indicated that 60 per cent of the attacking force against such weapons would have been destroyed. Russia's atomic artillery is of smaller caliber and more maneuverable than the American, according to reports of native observers.

Anthony Eden, Britain's Foreign Minister, is being strengthened in his personal political situation and is being built up definitely as successor to Prime Minister Sir Winston Churchill. U. S. officials are pleased at his growing strength. He is known as a warm friend of this country.

Sir Winston is somewhat concerned by the growth of anti-American sentiment in Great Britain, which accounts in part for recent newspaper editorials suggesting that Americans are far from being all bad.

Top American commanders are in agreement that U. S. will be forced to take over management of the war in Indochina if that is required as an alternative to a deal by the French that would open the way to Communists' taking over in that highly strategic part of the world.

Charles E. Wilson, Defense Secretary, is asking for an increase from $450,000 to $1,000,000,000 in the budget for public-relations activities of his office. Public-relations budgets of the three armed services would be reduced to provide the money.

Bible Verse to Study

"If thou wilt hearken unto all that I command thee, and walk in my ways, and do that is right in my sight, to keep my statutes and my commandments . . . I will be with thee, and build thee a sure house . . ."

1. To whom were these words addressed?
2. By whom were they given?
3. Upon what occasion?
4. Where may they be found?

BIBLE VERSE ANSWERS:

1. To Jereboam, Solomon's servant.
2. By the Prophet Ahijah, at the bidding of Jehovah.
3. In a message foretelling the division of the Kingdom of David into the Southern and Northern Kingdoms of Israel.
4. I Kings 11:38.

The truth is always right. —Sophocles.

Suckers Make Las Vegas Our Nation's Gambling Capitol

By EDWARD H. SIMS

LAS VEGAS, Nev. — There is only one town like this in the U.S.A., and maybe that's a good thing. To the visitor getting his first glimpse of Vegas' dazzling neon, the town seems like something out of this world, which it partially is.

To the country bumpkin, the solid lines of shiny new cars, all of them the most expensive, put this city in a class by itself. And when grandma, hoarding a change purse full of nickles, visits that plush gambling house on Fremont street, she is quickly appalled at the utter disdain exhibited by fast cowboys who toss away five, ten, or even a hundred dollars at craps tables.

The strangest reaction to all this from one not accustomed to legalized banditry, is the fervor with which the suckers throw themselves into contests in which they never have an equal chance to keep their money.

Perhaps what dazzles the average Joe, and Jane, is the bragging of gamblers who strike it rich with a streak of good luck. Every morning in Vegas, there are tales of this one or that one who won several thousand dollars last night.

These stories are often true. But the suckers seldom hear from all those who lost fifty, a hundred or even a thousand dollars. Human nature being what it is, these chagrined characters sink quietly out of town nursing their wounds.

Many of them secretly harbor an intense, unspoken desire to return at a later date and set things aright. And many return to hard work, saving up for another fling, only to return at a later date to make another contribution to house operators. This, to coin a phrase, is certainly a vicious circle.

But the suckers seem to like it. They come from thousands of miles and spend large sums on transportation, to get this less than half chance to keep whatever money they brought with them. They keep coming. The wheels keep turning. The operators continue to reap a windfall. To coin another phrase, it's a strange world, to be sure.

Robinson signs Dodgers' pact calling for $40,000.

Peanuts are being used to flavor toast, soup, and vegetables.

The Soviet plans to expand its acreage by 20,000,000.

Industry is urged to emphasize peacetime production.

BOW FOR BOUQUET—U. S. Secretary of the Army Robert Stevens executes an Oriental-type bow as he accepts a bouquet from a young Korean girl. Stevens was on hand for the ground-breaking ceremony for a new Seoul orphanage sponsored by the U. S. 8th Army.

CAN'T STOP IT

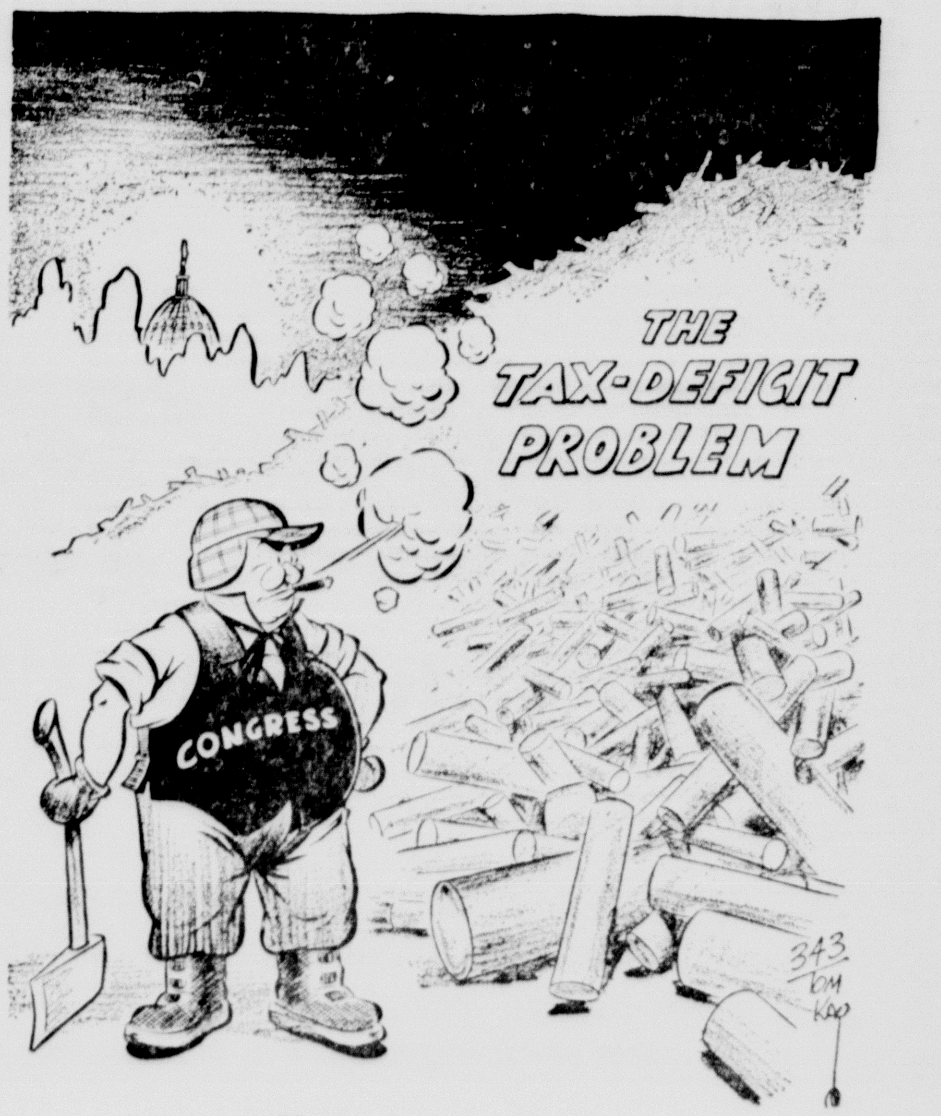
An Illinois woman sued in the Supreme Court to have teaching of religion barred in public schools. No matter how the case is decided, they won't be able to keep the kids from praying at exam time.

When fiction rises pleasing to the
eye,
Men will believe, because they love
the lie;
But truth herself, if clouded with
a frown,
Must have some solemn proof to
pass her down. —Churchill

Britain is giving the R.A.F. a "new look," replacing old aircraft with new jets in a lengthy program to cost at least $1,400,000,000.

The U. S. foresees no problem on the use of Spanish bases.

THE AMERICAN WAY



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217 WTSC Students Apply For Degrees in Spring Commencement

A total of 217 persons are candidates for degrees for West Texas State College's spring commencement May 24, Dean Walter H. Juniper has announced. Seeking master's degrees are 68 of the 217.

Graduation exercises this year will be limited to only one day, Dr. Juniper said, breaking the traditional two-day services held in the past. Exercises will open at 10 a. m., and close with the awarding of diplomas.

Master of arts candidates are: Trixie Travis Brown, Canyon; Mildred Moorman Busch, Amarillo; Claude Conyer Fuller, Amarillo; Floyd A. Hemphill, Amarillo; Carrie Jo Heare Patton, Panhandle; Fred Short, Jr., Amarillo; and Maurine Archer Travis, Amarillo.

Seeking the Master of Business Administration degree are Elmer D. Bechtold, Amarillo; Melvin Perry Crawford, Borger; Lois Elizabeth Gossett, Dalhart; Doyle Rae Green, Canyon; Louise Hume, Amarillo; Delbert Dwaine Mires, Amarillo; Ulon Willis Rankin, Amarillo; Billy George Reid, Merkel; Norman Henry Smith, Panhandle; and Edgar L. Waldrop, Amarillo.

Master of Education

Candidates for the Master of Education degree are Alma Hunter Anders, Borger; Betty Caldwell Barrett, Canyon; Frances G. Beaver, Sunray; Mary Louise Burchett Blaine, Amarillo; Nancy Glasgow Bowser, Plainview; Ellen Bryant, Hereford; Johnie Dunn Bumpas, Borger; Betty Frances Cheves, Amarillo; Velma Finnell Cheves, Amarillo; Annell Clay, Canyon; Milton B. Connolly, Shamrock; George C. Cristy, Canyon; Clyde H. Damron, Dimmitt; Charleta Dillon Dunn, Amarillo; and Angeline Dubbs Duvall, Amarillo.

Oneta Van Elkins, Pampa; Willis P. Harris, Phillips; Laura Gerner Huckabey, Amarillo; Charles G. Huffines, Amarillo; Ruby V. Hulse, Littlefield; Lynn Hulsey, Canyon; Sylvia Morgan Jackson, Spearman; Ella Kate Jaggers, Canyon; Zack Jaggers, Canyon; Gladys Jester, Amarillo; Wesley William Jones, Amarillo; Mary Elizabeth New Keim, Pampa; Ima Kurten, Amarillo; Gladys Slough Leggitt, Wellington; J. Roy Matthews, Amarillo; Mabel Y. Miller, Amarillo; Athelene C. Morton, Amarillo; Audna Joan Neely, Garden City; Mabel Thomas Newman, Dimmitt; Sylvan T. Newman, Dimmitt; Mary Ollie Persons, Amarillo; Alton Carroll Pilkinton, Amarillo; Marilena H. Rhode, Clarendon.

Loyd Jeanette Richerson, Clarendon; Sylvester L. Roush, Canyon; Vera L. Shaffer, Amarillo; James M. Shuttlesworth, Phillips; Ronel Thomas Simmons, Amarillo; Dean T. Simon, Amarillo; Dan Trew, Hereford; Earlene Eustace Walton, Hereford; Marsene S. Weaks, White Deer; Jessie T. White, Pampa; Billie R. Whorton, Amarillo; Mabel Faulkner Wilson, Hereford; and Ruth Patman Word, Amarillo.

Bachelor of Arts

Bachelor of Arts candidates are Antoninette Baird, Amarillo; Nancy Ann Bursey, Amarillo; Melya Eileen Bynum, Canyon; Barbara Allen Dunn, Littlefield; Marilyn Forsyth, Plainview; Ruth Emelie Hilbert, Amarillo; June Rae Jones, Amarillo; Sheila Ann Malone, Tulia; Richard Maxwell, O'Donnell; Robert W. Patton, Jr., Amarillo; Evelyn Earlena Phillips, Hereford; Rozelle Reese, Hereford; Marguerite Wimp Richmond, Canyon; Jesus Antonio Soler, Amarillo; and Keith Rogers Wolfe, Jr., Vernon.

Bachelor of Science

Candidates for the Bachelor of Science degree are: Grady Earl Allen, Rule; Otto Mae Adkins, Borger; Eddie William Austin, Plainview; Ramona Rhea Batchelor, Amarillo; Patrick F. Boddy, Canyon; Mary Louise Boyles, Sudan; Betty Lue Briscoe, Brownfield; Colline Evelyn Brown, Hereford; Dorothy Jean Brown, Canyon; Emma Jane Brown, Hereford; Wayne G. Brown, Amarillo; Orpha Dee Burgess, Hale Center; Troy Lee Burrus, Canyon; Billie Joe Campbell, Waco; Carmaleta Faye Campbell, Olton; and Luis Carrasquillo, Jr., Guayama, Puerto Rico.

Lela Guisinger Casey, Amarillo; DeWayne Cleveland, Canyon; Robert Walter Clifford, Clarendon; Virgean Fields Craig, Canyon; Kenneth Dale Crowder, Wheeler; Clara Darling, Pampa; George White Daugherty, Lefors; John Neil Daymont, Childress; Ava Pearl Dooley, Canyon; Dick Doyle, Claude; Evelyn C. Durham, Cleburne; Bennie Earle DuVall, Lakeview; Pat Duzan, Plainview; Gayle Foster Earthman, Olton; Bobby Gerald Finley, Floydada; Narcia Evelyn Finney, Plainview; Lynn Calvin Foster, Sudan; Margaret Brewer Foster, Canyon; and Richard Lee Gaines, Wheeler.

Garland Gene Gardenhire, Estelline; Eudella Arline Goode, Rochester; Darlene Shadid Gray, Canyon; Oscar Raymond Gray, Canyon; Hallie Hamill, Amarillo; Laverne Estelle Hamner, Vega; Jerry Harding, Canyon; Jim Harris, Canyon; Roylene Ruth Hawkins, Bovina; Geraldine V. Hollen, Borger; Pat Holt, Gruver; Hazel Ruth Howard, Borger; Charles Franklin Hubbard, Wheeler; James O. Huffman, Canyon; Bonnie Mae Hughes, Hale Center; Mary Ellison Johnson, Amarillo; Colleen Leithauser, Amarillo; Alfred R. Louaillier, Amarillo; and Pauline Elizabeth Lutrick, Abernathy.

Billy Walton McArthur, Pampa; Geneva McCrate, Amarillo; Roy Duane McDonald, Borger; Helen Ruth Mackie, Pampa; Sarah Maxine Mickey, Plainview; Lorene Marie Miller, Darrouzett; Martha Ann Montgomery, Shamrock; Peggy Jean Moore, Canyon; Nick Joe Nelson, Amarillo; W. M. Nickell, Canyon; Jimmie E. Peggram, Quail; Zelda Walker Pendergrass, Canadian; Joel G. Peterson, Canadian; Eleanor Phillips, Plainview; Pauline Allen Phillips, Amarillo: and Billie Jean Poole, Lelia Lake

Garland Ward Rattan, Matador; Harry A. Reeves, Tulia; Dorothy Casler Reid, Canyon; Margarett Greer Reid, Canyon; Jacqueline Riddle, Amarillo; Kenneth Ringo, Canyon; Ruth Ann Ringo, Canyon; Dora C. Roberts, Wellington; Leona Robinett, Amarillo; Frances Tucker Root, Hereford; James R. Scott, Vega; Patrick E. Shipp, Amarillo; Clarence Elvin Simmons, Amarillo; Roberta Ann Simpson, Maynard, Iowa; Billie Faye Small, Canyon; and Katherine Pauline, Smith, Shamrock.

Tippi (L. M.) Stinson, Waco; Leroy E. Thompson, Amarillo; Marguerite Vanderby, Amarillo; Ormel Lee Doak Walker, Hereford; Frances Warnix Wardlaw, Amarillo; Oren M. Warring, Stinnett; Sue Collins Wayne, Amarillo; Goldie Webb, Kress; Lora Dale Wells, White Deer; Melvin Ivan Williams, Perryton; Uel R. Wise, Happy; Dee Anne Wright, Fritch; Jim Wright, and Miriam W. Wyrick, Amarillo.

Bachelor of Business Administration

Those seeking the Bachelor of Business Administration degree are Charles Sidney Bayless, Canadian; Norma Faye Cooper, Tulia; Billy Aaron Damron, Big Spring; Mary Ann Dawdy, Canyon; Don Thomas Deckard, Amarillo; Don DeCoster, Amarillo; Douglas J. Ferguson, Amarillo; Ellen Ann French, Borger; Trenvor W. Gilstrap, Amarillo; Juandell Doyle Glass, Canyon; Russell E. Glover, Canyon; Vernon Henry Harman, Jr., Happy; and Elon Hill, Canyon.

Leonard Hood, Canyon; Stanley Joe Hooper, Borger; Walter Duane Howard, Canyon; Jerrel T. Kisner, Amarillo; William Joel Landrum, Shamrock; Olan J. Lehman, Amarillo; Clarence Orville Long, Jr., Amarillo; J. B. McLeroy, Canyon; Gerald Dickson Railsback, Dalhart; Jack Carlton Ramey, Hereford; James Theodore Reynolds, Amarillo; Warren Dell Spalding, Amarillo; and A. C. Spears, Amarillo.

Bachelor of Music Education

Bachelor of Music Education candidates are Bruce Farrell Cook, Kirkland; Shirley Lee Epps, Shamrock; Donna Marie Erwin, Claude; David Lee Evans, Canyon; Anita Tooley, Plainview; Patricia Jean Walton, Hereford; Alma Watson, Amarillo; and Purris Franklin Williams, Jr., Hereford.

District Catholic Women To Be Umbarger Guests

St. Mary's Altar Society, Umbarger, will be hostess to nearly 100 women from 20 towns in the area at the annual meeting of the Amarillo District Council of the Diocesan Council of Catholic Women, April 8, at St. Mary's Hall.

The meeting, which will begin at 9:30 a. m., will feature a talk by the Most Rev. Laurence J. FitzSimon, Bishop of Amarillo.

The theme of the year, "Mary and the Christian Family," will be developed through a book review, "The Splendor of Sorrow," by Miss Celia Saunders, a teacher at St. Mary's Academy, Amarillo.

"My Part in the Marian Year" is the title of a panel discussion, given by Miss Ann Bonifield, and Mrs. David Poundstone, Borger; Mrs. W. H. Coon, Dumas; and Mrs. Victor Moore, Dalhart.

Displays will be arranged by Mrs. Joel Shelton, Vega; Mrs. C. H. Mihm, Borger; Mrs. M. F. Roche, Pampa; Mrs. Ed Loerwald, Hereford; Mrs. George McSpadden, Amarillo; and Mrs. Elmo Bonifield, Borger.

Mrs. Fred Haiduk, district president, will conduct the sessions. She will preside at a special question and answer period, to assist local groups with their problems.

Mrs. P. M. Carroll, diocesan president, will bring a special message.

Welcoming the delegates will be the Rev. Andrew C. Marthaler.

Mrs. Matt Albracht is accepting reservations for the luncheon which will be served at 12:30 p.m. Mrs. Joe Frank is chairman of the credentials committee.

Committees in charge of serving the luncheon include Mrs. Matt Albracht, chairman, with Mrs. Elroy Artho as co-chairman. Mrs. Harvey Artho is chairman of the committee which will serve coffee and rolls to the guests as they register. Luncheon reservations should be in as soon as possible. Mrs. Albracht will accept telephone reservations as well as those by letter. Her phone number is 2104, Umbarger.

HOLD GUILD MEETING IN HOME OF MRS. CHARLES RICHMOND

All Saints Episcopal Guild met Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Charles Richmond, hostess. The meeting opened with The Lord's Prayer, followed by the devotional, "The Peace of God," given by Mrs. Michael Morris.

A study of the Pauline letters and the concluding books of the New Testament which completed the Guild study of The Holy Scriptures made up the program and was presented by Mrs. Warren Parker.

During the business session delegates to the Episcopal Convocation to be held in San Angelo, Mrs. Parker and Mrs. Edd Pettitt, were instructed on several matters. Following completion of various other matters delicious refreshments of Angel Dream cake and coffee were served to Mesdames Parker, Morris, Pettitt, Frank Kimbrough, James Colombo, Charles Joyner, and the hostess.

Carbonville, Utah. — Kenneth Howard, 39, was electrocuted when a kite he was flying became entangled in a 7,200-volt electric power line. The kite string contained a metallic thread which conducted the electricity to Howard's body.

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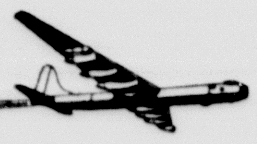

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Just Between You, Me . . .
. . . and the Gatepost

By Lawrence Hunnicutt

A few years back, about ten to be exact, a little song was popular and the title of it was, "Accentuate the Positive." The more you think about this idea the more sense it makes, although the song was not at all a serious thing, it was of the novelty variety, it has food for thought. Accentuating the positive is merely another way of saying "work with what you have and don't worry about what you don't have." The idea can be put to use for the nation, state, town, or the individual either on the job or in his personal life.

Progress seems to us the task of just what should be done from day-to-day and having a little fun along the way. We recall reading a quotation awhile back by Mrs. L. G. Conner, wife of Canyon's founder. Mrs. Conner said, that the early day pioneers didn't realize they were making history, they were just doing the tasks that should be done and having a little fun doing it. To accentuate the positive you work with what you have, and don't wish for a more favorable condition and fewer obstacles. Progress is like responsibility, you can dodge it, but you can't dodge the consequences for dodging it.

About time to come in out of the gloom and talk about something that is being done. If you've been out of town for a couple of weeks you'll be surprised at the changes in the Canyon Drug and The Pharmacy. Some rearranging has taken place and the face-lifting jobs are certainly enlightening to look at. Riley Troth may have used up some of his liniment after his job, at least he did some complaining about his back for a few days after the job was completed.

Over at The Pharmacy they tore up some of the floor and replaced it. They also tore out one of the partitions in the back of the building to make more room for the fountain. Things are really changing, we're getting more and more big-city type buildings are coming into existence here.

Maybe we've been wrong all these years we've been crusading for a modern hotel in Canyon. After a discussion of th subject over a cup of coffee with Clarence Thompson last week we have a different slant on the subject. Good, clean motels seem to be more practical than hotels today. Mr. Thompson pointed out that motels are more flexible, in adding to our detracting from, and also are much less expensive to operate.

Mr. Thompson believes that the Expressway will be a good thing for Canyon if the people vote it in. He added that it should be a bigger incentive for more motels to locate here. People can drive into a motel and get settled comfortably more quickly than at a hotel, Thompson points out and motorists enjoy the time saving element of the motel a great deal.

Canyon has been under the progressive gun for a long time and a letter was recently found that was written to Chamber of Commerce officials in 1939 gives an idea that seemed fantastic then but may not be fantastic in the very near future. A Mr. Glick in Los Angeles wrote the letter which mentions the building of a huge canal from Cheyenne river connecting the Platte, Ark., and other rivers to Texas-Colorado headwaters and channel it down through the Palo Duro Canyon. The writer pointed out that by channeling the water this way and into the Gulf it would relieve swollen and flood conditions on the Mississippi and also make a shipping center of Canyon and other towns along the way. Maybe someday we'll be able to catch a slow boat to China from Canyon.

Did you ever stop to think that it's the lack of common sense that forms the basis for all blunders.

In the race to the altar some girls cover more laps than others.

A note to the ladies: Remember, it's better to have loved a short guy than never to have loved a tall.

Wayside News

A week's revival is in progress at the church and fairly good crowds have been in attendance. Rev. Cleveland of Clairmont has been doing the preaching.

The McGehee brothers have almost completed a large 44x140 foot cattle barn with a shed added on the south side.

Mrs. W. R. Franklin spent last Monday with her sister, Mrs. M. E. Counterman, in Happy.

J. R. Stockett and Melton McGehee were Amarillo callers last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Franklin and Mr. and Mrs. Melton McGehee, also Mary Scroggins and Darral Watson, attended a recreation class at Claude by a state representative Thursday and Friday nights.

J. R. Stockett was a Canyon caller Friday p. m.

Mrs. Jo Ann Bannister met with the home demonstration club last Tuesday for some unfinished business.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stockett of Tulia were Wayside visitors Thursday.

Bettye Ruth Kennedy celebrated her sixth birthday Tuesday, March 23, by being Queen of the Kids Only show on KGNC-TV in Amarillo, at 4:30 p. m. She is the pretty brown eyed blond and her dress was a lovely brown nylon with miniature pink umbrellas on it. Gunn Bros. presented her with a nice pink fuzzy lamb and when wound up it sings "Mary Had a Little Lamb."

Accompanying her to the show were her mother and little brother, Mrs. J. R. Kennedy and Johnny Lee, and grandmother, Mrs. J. R. Stockett, and friends, Mrs. J. J. Lane and Joy.

CORRECTION:

Miss Virginia Holt was elected president of the pledge class of the Chi Omega sorority at Texas Western in El Paso. She was not elected president of the sorority. Miss Holt is a freshman, and is therefore not eligible to be nominated to presidency of the sorority.

Dwight D. Eisenhower: "The easiest thing to do with great power is to abuse it—to use it to excess."

Ellis "A Meal in a Minute" BEEF STEW

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YOUR SENATOR REPORTS

By LYNDON B. JOHNSON
U. S. Senator

Decisive Month

Economists expect April to be the crucial month that may give us the answer to that question.

Unemployment is still rising (now about four million); inventories are up — sales down; factory production and freight carloadings are still skidding.

If there is going to be an upturn, seasoned observers think it will come in April.

Information

All during my Dad's lifetime he drilled into me that a man's judgment is no better than his information.

My work each day involves seeing 30 or 40 of the eight million people living in Texas and working with my 95 colleagues in the Senate. I spent the last five months of 1953 traveling all over Texas, but when Congress is in session I must be on the job in Washington.

I want my information about Texas and Texans to be accurate—so that my judgment will be sound. Your letters, containing suggestions and advice and setting forth your views on issues, help me greatly.

Five Years

Just over five years ago I entered the U. S. Senate. During these years I have earnestly tried to serve all the people of Texas—all the time—Texans in organizations and Texans as individuals—Texans who supported me and those who did not.

Being human, I have made mistakes. But I have done my best to be a good Senator. I have no higher ambition than to give the people of Texas the kind of representation they deserve.

In The Senate

My resolution to establish March 7 of every year as Friendship Day passed the Senate three hours after its introduction. This is the resolution urged by the General Federation of Women's Clubs, the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, and the National Society of Arts and Letters.

I have written Chairman Aiken of the Senate Agricultural Committee to urge hearings on my bill for upper watershed flood control and soil conservation. A similar bill has passed the House.

The Senate approved my amendment to the Mexican Labor Appropriations adding $64,000 to provide for a Labor Reception Center.

Senator Saltonstall, Chairman, Senate Armed Services Committee, has appointed me to a subcommittee to investigate the need for continuing operation o fthe Texas City tin smelter.

WHAT DID THE COP DO THEN?

One morning when an undertaker came to work he found a dead donkey lying in front of his place of business. Not knowing what to do with same, he went and asked the cop on the beat.

"Bury it, you dope," says the officer, "you're an undertaker, ain't you?"

"Sure," said the mortician, "but I thought I oughta inform the relatives first."

BABY DIES IN HIGHCHAIR

Kingwood, W. Va. — Buckled to her high chair, little Shirley Thomas, 14-months-old, perished in a fire which swept through the family's two-room house when her mother went out to feed the chickens. Five other children, ranging in age from 4 months to 6 years, were carried or led to safety by the mother.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF EULA M. DUREN, Deceased.

No. 658, County Court Randall County, Texas. Justina Skinner (Administratrix) thereof, filed in the County Court of Randall County, Texas, on the 22nd day of March A.D. 1954, her Final Account of the condition of the Estate of said Eula M. Duren, deceased together with an Application to be discharged from said administratrixship.

Said Final Account and Application will be heard and acted on by said Court on the first Monday next after the expiration of ten days from date of Posting or Publishing this citation, the same being the 6th day of April, 1954, at the Courthouse thereof in Canyon, Randall County, Texas, at which time and place all persins interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate are required to appear by filing a written answer and contest said account and application should they choose to do so.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF SAID COURT at office in Canyon, Texas, this the 22 day of March A.D. 1954.

T. H. LAIR
Clerk of the County Court,
Randall County, Texas
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Deals In Dirt

Linnie Milton to Beulah Milton, lot no. 24, block no. 19, T-Anchor Addition.

A. O. Taggart to Edwin B. Bledsoe, lot no. 16 in block no. 22-E, South Lawn.

R. S. Reeves to John D. Munn and wife, Bonnie E. Munn, lot no. 4 in block no. 6, Paramount Addition.

W. B. Campbell and wife, Llian Campbell, to L. L. Hix, lot no. 9 in block no. 65, original town of Canyon.

L. E. Cowling, Jr., and Gem Cowling Truitt and husband, Geo. Truitt, to W. K. Cowling, a 208.04 acre tract of land out of the southeast corner of section no. 111, block no. 6, I. & G.N. R.R. Co. Survey.

E. O. Milburn, Robert H. Hortenstine and Howard F. Saunders to George A. Smith and wife, Marilyn M. Smith, lot no. 14 in block no. 11, Paramount Terrace.

Durohomes, Inc., to Shayle Webster Smith and wife, Betty Smith, lot no. 1 in block no. 1, Kings Acres.

R. B. Beasley and wife, Hazel Beasley, to C. L. Ray and wife, lot no. 2 in block no. 12, Hermitage Addition.

Miriam M. Woestman and husband, O. J. Woestman, to Roy N. Byrd, Jr., lots nos. 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block no. 29, Normal Addition.

R. J. Barrett to Norwood Vicars and wife, Jackie Vicars, lot no. 4 in block no. 13, Paramount Terrace.

E. M. Tucker, Jr., and wife, Thelma Ella Tucker, to R. J. Barrett, lot no. 4 in block no. 13, Paramount Terrace.

L. E. McDonald and wife, Miriam McDonald, to Veterans Land Board, south 40 acres of the northeast one-fourth of section no. 81, block M-9, J.H.G. Survey.

L. E. McDonald and wife, Miriam McDonald, to Veterans Land Board, south 42.57 acres of the south 82.57 acres of the northeast one-fourth of section 81, block M-9, J.H.G. Survey.

L. E. McDonald and wife, Miriam McDonald, to Veterans Land Board, north 40 acres of the north 80 acres of the northeast one-fourth of section no. 81, block no. M-9, J.H.G. Survey.

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Vess J. Barnes, Jr., and wife, Joyce Barnes, to Keith & King, all of lot no. 8 in block no. 2, Paramount Terrace.

U. S. PAYROLL

The Federal civilian payroll dropped 8,837 during the month of January, for the eighth successive month, to a total of 2,348,457 employes. The January cut dropped the total reduction for the first seven months of the current fiscal year to 121,183.

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WHO Knows

1. Which is the world's largest manufacturing enterprise?
2. How old is the United Nations?
3. When was the Unknown Soldier of World War II entombed in Arlington National Cemetery?
4. How much will American women spend for stockings this year?
5. On what river is the Grand Coulee Dam located?
6. What state is known as the "Mother of Presidents?"
7. What is the capital of the West German Republic?
8. What denomination of coin is most counterfeited?
9. Which is the third largest city in the U. S.?
10. When did Alaska become a possession of the United States?

The Answers . . . .

1. The General Motors Corporation.
2. Nine years old on April 25th, 1954.
3. On Memorial Day, 1951.
4. An estimated $800,000,000.
5. Columbia River.
6. Virginia—8 Presidents of the United States were born there.
7. Bonn.
8. The 25-cent piece.
9. Los Angeles, Calif.
10. Bought from Russia in 1867.

ATOMIC POWER

The Atomic Energy Commission has announced a five - year plan for intensive exploration of the possibilities of achieving industrial power from the atom at economical cost. Four new atomic reactor furnaces of "varying size and cost" in addition to one originally programmed by the AEC last October will be built.

OVERSEAS FIRING

The State Department is firing almost 400 more American and German employees from its big diplomatic establishment in West Germany. By July 1, the High Commission which had 13,000 employees three years ago, will be reduced to a staff of 4,218, including 710 American and 3,508 Germans.

The Air Force, employing a ship-to-shore service, is extending its aircraft warning network 250 miles into the Atlantic.

The White House asks for wide power over farm surplus.

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TREND OF THE TIMES

Overheard in a restaurant in lower Broadway in the luncheon hour:

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"Phew!" exclaimed the other, clapping a hand to his brow. "I don't think she ever went to school. Why, just yesterday she addressed an envelope to Washington, Dizzy, instead of D. C."

"Hang on to her," advised the other. "That girl isn't so dumb after all."

THE HARD WAY

Mary, aged five, was facing a minor surgical operation, and mother told her: "Be a brave little girl, and mama will get you a nice kitten."

Mother was sitting close by when Mary came out of the ether. She leaned forward to catch the youngster's first words.

The child opened her eyes, grimaced weakly, and muttered, "What a bum way to get a cat!"

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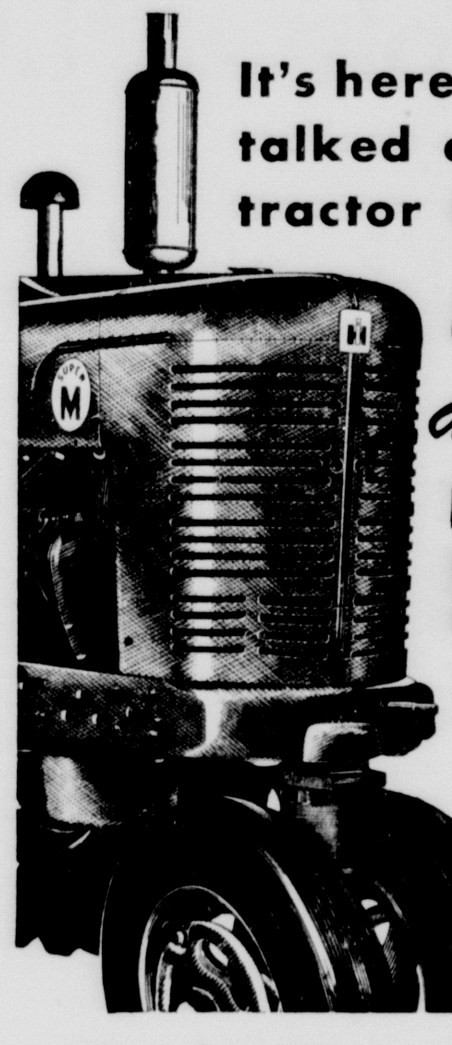
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